PETROSINO'S FRIEND ASSASSINATED

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ANOTHER MAFIA OUTRAGE

NEW YORK, May 18.—Piogio Puccio, a schoolmate and life-long friend of Detective Petrosino, was shot and killed in the hallway of his home on the fourth floor of the tenement at No. 321 East Seventy-fifth street to-day.

It is believed he was assassinated by an agent of the secret blackmailing society which was responsible for the death of Petrosino.

Puccio was a leader in the funeral arrangements and in the plans for the benefit for Petrosino's widow.

Repeatedly, the police say, Puccio had been warned that he would meet a similar fate if he did not cease his activities. Just before the funeral he received a card bearing the emblem of the secret society.

"This is the last warning," the card read. "If you don't stop we'll stop you."

Toppled and Fell Dead.

Puccio paid no attention to the threats. Returning to his home shortly after midnight Puccio was groping his way through the darkened hallway leading to his apartments when the assassin, lurking on the floor above, fired at him.

The first shot struck Puccio in the collar bone, lodging in the region of the heart. Puccio toppled and fell dead.

In a second the tenement was in a panic. Women, screaming hysterically, rushed about the hallways with frightened children clinging to them, and even the men seemed at a loss to know what to do. In the uproar the assassin escaped and the police have no clew to his identity.

Wife Hysterical.

When she learned that her husband was dead, Mrs. Puccio became hysterical. She threw herself on the dead body and then, fighting off four policemen, tried to throw herself from the window. She fought with maniacal fury, and it was not until she lapsed into unconsciousness that she ceased her struggles.

Puccio was secretary and treasurer of the Cortelyou, No. 446, branch of the Foresters of America. On May 12, the day of Petrosino's funeral, he organized and led a delegation which accompanied the body to the grave.

The assassin had extinguished the lights on the first, second and fourth floors to accomplish the murder. Those on the third floor were left burning. Then standing in front of Puccio's apartments on the fourth floor, the murderer could hear his victim as he walked up the stairs and could get him to full view as he came under the light on the third floor, while he himself could not be seen. Puccio had just turned the landing leading from the third to the fourth floor when the man fired. Puccio fell and his slayer leaped over the body and reached the street. Many of the twenty-four families in the house have recently received warning letters from the Black Hand. They have been told to move, as the building was to be destroyed.

Tenants in a Panic.

Because of these warnings many only locked their doors more securely when the revolver shot sounded through the house. Puccio lived with his wife and nephew, Giovanni Puccio. They were both aroused by the shot, but for five minutes did not dare go to the hall.

Mrs. Clara Edelsou, who lives on the third floor, was the first to come out. As she opened her door she saw the prostrate form of a man and screamed. "There's a man killed here in the hall!"

Hastily the tenement was in an uproar. Giovanni Puccio rushed out and not recognizing the dead body as that of his uncle, leaped over it and ran to the street, yelling for the police. The police and a corps of men from the Italian detective bureau were soon on the scene. Dr. Boone, who came from the Presbyterian Hospital, found Puccio had died instantly. The shot had been made by the bullet showed the revolver used was a large caliber.

GIRL THIEF SENTENCED.

Mary Kelley, aged twenty-two, of Hyde Park, was sentenced to Sherborn in the Dedham Court to-day for the alleged larceny of a watch on July 6, 1908, from Mary Bushell, with whom she boarded. Her case was continued last July on her promise to make restitution, which, the police say, she failed to do.

ANNA HELD HAS MADE A MILLION

Anna Held in "Miss Innocence."

"I'm Going to Quit the Stage for Good and All," She Says.

NEW YORK, May 18.—"I am going to leave the stage for good and all after next season," said Anna Held, who sailed for Europe to-day.

"I have made all the money—yes, more than $1,000,000—that I need, and I am going to invest it here and live on it."

MRS. TAFT ILL, QUITS SOCIETY

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Mrs. Taft, wife of President William H. Taft and mistress of the White House, has broken down under the tremendous strain of the social duties which she undertook.

Her collapse was hastened undoubtedly by the emotional strain she has undergone because of the illness of her son Charles, who yesterday underwent a slight surgical operation.

The wife of the President has retired from society completely for the time being.

In a statement to the public which President Taft prepared personally, and in which he sought to minimize his wife's condition, Washington society to-day is astonished to read between the lines that Mrs. Taft is really seriously ill.

The President tells how when she left yesterday with a party of friends on the yacht Eyph on a trip to Mount Vernon the excitement proved too much for her. Her nervous collapse was so pronounced that the trip was actually abandoned. The yacht was turned about and hastened back to Washington. In his statement President Taft says Mrs. Taft's physician reports:

"After a few days of complete rest Mrs. Taft may be able to resume her social duties."

Washington society reading this statement to-day emphasizes the words "COMPLETE REST" and "MAY BE."

This statement shows not only that Mrs. Taft has retired from society for the present and that she is in need of complete rest and exclusion, but also that her condition is such that the skilled physician is not able to say when, if at all, the mistress of the White House will be able to resume her social duties at the head of the nation.

There is the greatest sympathy for Mrs. Taft in the illness that has overtaken her. Her womanly qualities and her motherliness, as shown in her absorbing devotion to her children, have won for her the affection of all who know her.

TAFT BEHIND INCOME TAX

WASHINGTON, May 18.—It was learned to-day from an excellent source that practically all of the Republican and Democratic Senators who favor an income tax bill, encouraged by President Taft's approval, met in secret conference at the capitol last night and thrashed out the subject with the view of agreeing upon a bill which they will all support. The conference is said to have been most successful, it having been practically decided to adopt a compromise of the Bailey and Cummins bills. It was agreed that the graduation feature should be abandoned and a straight percentage basis substituted to apply in all cases. The proposed bill will provide for a tax on corporations, a feature which was omitted from the bills now before the Senate.

Those interested in the new movement have so far kept their identity and the fact of their intentions secret. It was admitted to-day that everyone of the Senators who favors an income tax was present. The names of those interested will be withheld until others whose co-operation is desired shall be induced to join the movement. It is the expressed hope of the conference to pass an income tax bill at the present session.

It is said, to-day that the final tax on incomes will probably be ten per cent. ad valorem.

BRIDGE COLLAPSES AT TEST; FIVE HURT

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 18.—One man was fatally injured and four others seriously hurt, to-day when the new Desaille-Trusion Bridge, escaped no two miles flying given a trial preparatory to turning it over to the city. The structure is a practical wreck, entailing a loss of $50,000.

Harvard Mystery

Prof. Hutchinson's Strange Disappearance —Wrote One Person He Was Going to Die—Writes Another From the Adams House, Showing He Still Lives.

While posses were scouring the Middlesex Fells and the Metropolitan Park police were dragging Spot pond to-day for the body of Dr. Percy A. Hutchison, the Harvard instructor, who suddenly disappeared last night from the New England Sanitarium, leaving a threat of suicide, circumstances came to light this afternoon which makes the case one of the most complicated of mysteries.

For three weeks he had been at the institution in Melrose, seeking relief for nervous trouble brought on by overwork. It is said. Seen reading in his room at 8 o'clock, an hour later a physician found this note:

"I am going to commit suicide. Do not look for me in the pond.

Writes from Adams House.

Yet this morning Dean Briggs of Harvard received from Dr. Hutchinson a letter written on Adams House stationery last night, in which he said:

"I am going where there are less people and more trees and flowers."

Dean Briggs said to-day that the instructor's missive was indited by a perfectly sane man, and that he told him he needed a complete rest, and that he was going where he could get it.

Mrs. Hutchison, wife of the missing man, said today that she received a letter mailed by her husband from Melrose yesterday afternoon, in which he told her not to "get excited," and that he would "be all right."

Makes Puzzling Case.

Taking into consideration the suicide threat, and the reassuring words sent to his wife and to Dean Briggs, the Harvard man's disappearance is all the more perplexing.

F. W. Mann, clerk at the sanitarium, declared to-day that the last man appeared to him as though he were suffering from domestic troubles. Dr. Hutchison's communication to his wife would seem to refute this idea.

Dr. Walter Wesselhoeft, whose daughter, Eleanor, the instructor married on June 17, 1904, said to-day that there was not the slightest trouble between the pair. He admitted that Mrs. Hutchison for the past few weeks had been teaching in a private school in the Back Bay. He said nothing had been heard this week from Dr. Hutchison.

In view of all the puzzling circumstances the authorities of the Metropolitan district who are looking for the doctor are asking these questions:

"Has he committed suicide?"

OR

"Has he gone West, where there are less people and more flowers?"

OR

"Has he gone insane?"

Mrs. Hutchison said the letter she received was mailed about the time he disappeared.

Didn't Appear Deranged.

Dean Briggs said:

"I received this morning at my office a letter from Mr. Hutchison, and assumed from what he said that he had left the New England sanitarium some days ago to spend rest and quiet elsewhere.

"He was not considered to be a dangerous person, nor was he forced to go to the sanitarium. He went there of his own free will to seek rest, and therefore it does not seem to me that he would be likely to be so affected by his being there that he would want to do away harm to himself.

"I have talked with him several times since he went there, and he appeared to be simply tired from overwork.

"Mr. Hutchison's object in writing it was to explain to me in regard to certain work that he had been doing in Radcliffe College, of which I am the president.

"He said that he realized that he was too tired to continue the work, and explained what was to be done with the balance of the money due him.

"He said he was going away to take complete rest, and did not know just when he would return."

Mr. Hutchison's letter found in the doctor's room last night was a check for his board in the sanitarium. He also wrote Dr. W. E. Bliss, the superintendent:

"I am sick of this life. I am going to commit suicide. You need not look for my body in the pond. I am going away."

STRANGLER HUNT LED BY GOVERNOR

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 18.—Governor A. J. Pothier of Rhode Island to-day took an active part in the work of attempting to run down the strangler of Laura E. Regester.

After he had held a long conference with the police authorities of this city he said:

"This murderer must be run down. This crime must be sifted and all the mystery cleared. The State will exhaust every means in its power to bring the murderer of this young woman to justice. If it becomes necessary to offer additional reward I will do it."

The police to-day began a thorough canvass among the girl friends of Miss Regester, they being carefully questioned as to everything they know about the history of the girl, and especially about her male friends.

The police secured from these young women a number of letters she had written them at one time or another. The letters are being closely read to see if some of them do not drop a clew which may point to the murderer.

They are reading the letters to see if they mention any men friends of the girl, or to see if she was in dread of any man or men. They want to find if she mentioned in any of her letters whether she had been threatened; to find if she lived in fear of violence.

The fact that two women heard Laura Regester's death cry on that Monday night over a week ago aids the police in fixing the exact time the murder was committed.

Scream for Help.

The most vivid description of the young woman's despairing cry when she found herself in the clutches of her strangler in the cemetery at Reservoir avenue was given by Mrs. Alexander Gray of No. 46 Jordan street, which is situated but 150 yards from the place where the body was found.

"The cry I heard on the night that poor Laura was killed," Mrs. Gray told the police, "was one of deadly fear, mingled with agony and a frantic appeal for help.

"It was such a piercing shriek that the blood seemed to freeze in my veins, and for a long time afterward I felt ill and frightened. I was standing in the kitchen near the open window at the time, and the sound made me stop my work and hold my breath, waiting for it to repeat. No other cry came and then I went to the window and looked out.

"I was unable to tell from what direction the shriek came but thought it had sounded off near the marsh lands near the Mashapug meadow. The cry has haunted me ever since. I shall never forget it as long as I live.

"I would make it about twenty minutes past 11 o'clock," she continued. "I have come to that conclusion, as I remember distinctly looking at the clock ten minutes before the hour. It was about half an hour later when I heard the cry."

The police inspectors are retracing their steps and made a most minute examination of the homes of Ernest A. Allen, the divorced husband of the strangler's victim, for anything that could help to throw the slightest light upon the tragedy or the motive leading up to it.

They were unsuccessful.

They then visited the home of Charles Douglass, the jeweler to whom Miss Regester was engaged to be married next month, and made a like search.

Terence J. Reilly of No. 32 East Ninety-seventh street, New York city, a tinker, has been practically eliminated by the police from further consideration in connection with the murder.

Reilly's alibi, the latter, is not singularly eliminated from the case, in spite of the grip secured by Inspector Monahan at Rehoboth, as is evident from the statements of some of the inspectors engaged in the search, although Inspector Nickerson said that in his opinion Reilly was innocent, so far as the crime is concerned.

Withdraw Business.

Recent activity by President Mellen has been conspicuous along the line of strengthening the express business of the trolley roads of the company till this is now a formidable rival of the Adams Express Company in Connecticut.

Mellen Now Plans an Express Trust

The New Haven Company, already in the railroad, trolley and steamship business, and having a monopoly of all three in the greater part of New England, now purposes to form an express company of its own and to oust the Adams Company from its system.

Developments of the utmost importance are expected immediately as the result of recent differences between President Mellen and the Adams Express Company, which operates on the New Haven lines.

If Mr. Mellen succeeds as well in the new venture as he has with his railroad, trolley and steamship lines, he will soon have a monopoly of the express business in practically all parts of New England except that portion served by the Boston & Albany road.

In this connection it is significant that the Boston & Maine has terminated its contract with the Adams people. That the B. & M. is now controlled by the Mellen road and operated by directors elected by the New Haven interests is conceded by financiers and railroad men.

BASEBALL EXTRA NO. 1

WEATHER UNFAVORABLE TO THE BASEBALL CONTESTS

With a new line-up the Doves faced the St. Louis Cardinals in the third game of the series to-day.

The weather proved very unfavorable and only a small crowd turned out for the contest.

In Detroit the final battle of the Red Sox and Tigers was likewise accompanied by weather difficulties. In fact, the game was considered do-able.

ONE MONTH FOR A PISTOL FROLIC.

Peter Jacobson, of Tilston street, North End, was arraigned to-day before Judge Sullivan in the Municipal Court on two counts, carrying a loaded revolver and violating the city ordinance by discharging fire arms in the street. He was found guilty on both charges and given one month in the House of Correction on the former and a fine of $10 on the latter.

DOVES AND ST. LOUIS IN THIRD GAME

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	ST. LOUIS.
Starr, s.s.	Byrne, 2b.
Bates, l.f.	Shaw, c.f.
Sweeney, 3b.	Bresnahan, c.
Beaumont, c.f.	Konetchy, 1b.
Ritchey, 2b.	Kvang, r.f.
Becker, r.f.	Ellis, l.f.
Bowerman, c.	Hulswitt, s.s.
Heck, 1b.	Charles, 3b.
Lindaman, p.	Beebe, p.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, May 18.—While the weather man did not make play impossible, he succeeded in making the fans exceedingly timid and it was not a very large army of bugs that journeyed to the Walpole street Grounds to see the third struggle between the Doves and St. Louis Cardinals.

The rain of last night kept the field from drying out a great deal but at that it was better than yesterday and the game was fairly snappy.

Roger Bresnahan's team had easy picking with the locals in the two games of the series that have been played and to stop this losing streak Bowerman made several changes in his club. He removed Dahlen from shortstop and sent Starr in his place. Hitherto he has been on the bench for some time, filled the vacancy at second.

RAT ATTACKS SLEEPING BOY

Ten-year-old Leo Welch was badly bitten by a big rat while asleep at his home, No. 21 Meridian street, early to-day, and is now at the East Boston Relief Hospital with doctors constantly at his bedside awaiting developments.

The lad was roused from his slumber by the intense pain of the bite to find the rat clinging under his right arm with his long teeth securely imbedded in the flesh. His frightened screams woke up the household. The boy was rushed to the hospital where the attendants say it is the first case of its kind reported at that institution.

Of late the Welch apartments have been infested with rodents nearly crazed with hunger. A fruit store which was on the floor below and on the contents of which the rats used to thrive had moved out, and the rats, deprived of their source of food, overran the upper part of the house, resorting to all sorts of daring to appease their hunger.

HOUSE REFUSES TO INCREASE TAX

After a sharp debate, the House of Representatives to-day defeated a bill to increase the tax limit in cities and towns of Boston from $12 to $15. Mayor Bullock of New Bedford petitioned for the bill. The opponents of the measure charged that if New Bedford's municipal affairs were properly administered it could operate under the $12 limit as well as other cities.

LABOR BILL OES TO NEXT SESSION

Taking warning from governor Draper's veto of the eight-hour bill for public employes, the House of Representatives to-day ordered to the next General Court without debate a bill to provide for the employment of resident citizen labor on public works.

DIVIDEND OF $2,000,000.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Trustees of the Central Trust Company to-day declared a special dividend of $200 per share, amounting to $2,000,000 in all, payable June 15 to stock of record on June 1.

RED SOX IN FINAL GAME WITH TIGERS

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	DETROIT.
McConnell, 2b.	Mclntyre, l.f.
Lord, 3b.	Bush, s.s.
Speaker, c.f.	Crawford, c.f.
Hooper, r.f.	Cobb, r.f.
Stahl, 1b.	Rossman, 1b.
Niles, l.f.	O'Leary, 2b.
Wagner, s.s.	Schaefer, 2b.
Spencer, c.	Stanage, c.
Cheek, p.	Mullin, p.

BENNETT PARK, Detroit, May 18.—There were cloudy weather conditions today and the fans were in doubt whether to journey to the park or stay at home. Still the faithful took a chance, hoping the Red Sox and Tigers would get together for the wind-up of the series.

Managers Jennings and Lake groomed their best pitchers for the fray, as both leaders wanted badly to take the rubber game. The hips that Charlie Chech and George Mullin were to be the opposing twirlers led many to make the trip out to the grounds who otherwise would not have done so.

"Well, we showed you fellows how we win games yesterday," remarked Jennings to Lake when they met on the diamond.

"Yes, and we will show you how we win games to-day," replied the Boston leader.

Carrigan, the Boston catcher, and Moriarty, the Detroit third baseman, who are under suspension, sat together in the grandstand and said, "Never again" to each other several times.

The Red Sox leave to-night for Chicago, where they will play a series of four games. Lake hopes to clean up, as the White Sox have not been going any too well this season. Ed Walsh, who has always been a terror to the Red Sox batsmen, will probably not appear against them, as he is on his way to Wilkesbarre, Pa., to see his dying brother.

SCORE HURT IN 'L' COLLISION

CHICAGO, May 18.—A score of people were injured, at least a dozen seriously, and one may die as the result of a rear end collision of two crowded south-bound Northwestern elevated trains at Ohio and Franklin streets to-day.

One train, a Ravenswood express, was standing still, delayed by trains ahead. The second train, a Wilmette avenue express, ran into it while going at the rate of twenty miles an hour.

According to those on the train the motorman lost control. The Wilmette train crashed into the other without its being checked at all after leaving the Chicago avenue station.

Both trains were packed with passengers until those on the trains declared no more could be crowded into the cars. More than half of the occupants were women.

When the crash occurred the women were thrown to the floor, many of them fainting and helpless, to be trampled upon by the stronger ones.

Men fought one another to escape, fearing the rocking trains were about to topple into the street. To add to the confusion broken airbrakes emitted a shrieking, blasting sound of escaping air, and those who were not unconscious were jammed into windows and doors in their wild anxiety to get out of the wrecked cars.

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-night and Wednesday. Light, variable winds.

WIFE FAINTS UNDER FIRE IN DIVORCE CASE

While under cross-examination in the Suffolk County Divorce Court to-day where she is seeking freedom from her husband, Mrs. Grace B. Burns, a very pretty young Chelsea woman, broke down and cried hysterically when asked about her acquaintance with Chester Reichenbacher. Mrs. Burns admitted that she had been to numerous Summer resorts on daily excursions with Reichenbacher and that her husband did not know about these trips. She said that she had gone to school with Reichenbacher and that he had always been a good friend, nothing more.

After finishing her testimony Mrs. Burns fainted and was carried from the court room and revived.

Mrs. Burns charges her husband Richard with cruelty and neglect. Both are twenty-five years old. Two children are the central figures in the suit. They are Kenneth, four, and Carl, seven. Each seeks their custody.

Postal as Evidence.

Numerous postal cards which Mrs. Burns had written to her friend Mrs. L. A. Cummings of No. 76 Dudley street, Roxbury, while on these trips with Reichenbacher were introduced as evidence against her. She admitted having written them.

One card sent from Crescent Park, Providence, on August 22, 1907, read:

"Have had a swell time all day long. Saw nothing of the boss of the home."

"Did you ever see Marshfield with Chester?" asked Attorney Peter Daly in cross-examination. "Yes, sir," replied Mrs. Burns.

"Did he introduce you to his aunt by another name than your own when going to Marshfield?" "Yes, he introduced me as Grace Stoddard."

"Why did you allow him to introduce you in that manner?" "It was my own fault, I suggested it."

"And your husband knew nothing about that trip, did he?" "No."

Another postal card from Marshfield, written at the close of this trip, was introduced as evidence. It read, "This is where we are visiting. Haven't I got the courage? Grace."

Wife Tells of Trips.

"Have you been to other places with Chester?" was asked "Yes."

"Where?" "Well, if you ask me I'll admit it if I was there. I won't tell you unless you ask me."

"Were you at Gofstown, N. H., with Chester?" "Yes."

"While you were in New Hampshire did you go out, walking with Chester after dark?" "No."

"Did Chester pay your fare?" "Yes."

"Did your husband know anything about that trip?" "No."

"Have you been to any other places with Chester?" "Well, I guess thats all the places that look bad."

"What do you mean by 'that looks bad'?" "Well, I admit that it looks bad for me to have gone to those places with Chester, but I didn't think so then." Mr. Johnson drummed it into me the way the outside world would look at it."

"Do you mean to say that you didn't think it looked bad for you, a married woman with two children, to go out with a single man on trips without your husband's knowledge?" "Why, no, because nobody else but Mr. Cummings knew it."

"You didn't intend to let anyone else know it, did you?" "No."

Mrs. Burns Angry.

"Did you go to Nantasket Beach with Chester in 1907?" "Yes."

"Did your husband know about your trip?" "Well, I told him I was at Nantasket."

But you didn't tell him that Chester went with you?" "No."

A postal card written by Mrs. Burns at Nantasket on that trip and sent to Mrs. Cummings was then read. It read:

"Went to New Hope at 3 p. m., but we were not at home. Went to the inn. Just going to Gloucester with you Tuesday night. Where are you going to Woods Hole?

"Like to enjoy ourselves," said Mrs. Burns. "Mrs. Cummings going to Woods Hole is the basis of all my trouble."

Mrs. Burns then admitted she went trolley riding with Reichenbacher. When a postal to Mrs. Cummings, mailed in Worcester, was read, Mrs. Burns was flushed and she said, "It was kind of Mrs. Cummings to save all those postals, wasn't it?"

Another card, dated August 9, 1907, and mailed in Everett, read, "Mrs. C. had probably explained about my going to Block Island. Will not go out unless Dick (her husband) leaves. If should come, will not be out until 11. Tell the 'Mrs.' to send her address to No. 14 Carmel street, Chelsea."

Picking up another postal and showing it to Mrs. Burns, Lawyer Daly asked, "Wasn't it your purpose in sending that card to your husband to deceive him in relations to your movements?" "Yes," replied Mrs. Burns.

"You told your husband that you were going to spend your vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Cummings at Woods Hole, didn't you?" "Yes."

"How! long were you away from your husband and the children at that time?" "From Saturday until Tuesday."

Changed Destination.

"Did you go to Woods Hole as you told your husband?"

"No, I went to South Easton."

"Did you see Chester during those days you were there?"

"Yes, I saw him on Sunday."

"Did you ever go to dances with Chester?" "No, but I have been to dances where I knew he was going to be there before I went."

"Did he take you home from dances?" "Yes."

"Did you ever attend Boston theatres with him?" "Yes, some of the high class theatres."

"Didn't you go to certain cheap West End theatres with him, too?" "That isn't right to ask me (crying) if I've been to all places. You must think I've got a nice character. No, I have never gone to disreputable places."

"You are not friendly with Mrs. Cummings are you?" "I guess not."

"When Mrs. Cummings started travelling around with my husband, I—"

"You visited Mrs. Cummings's home regularly on Sunday during before you had a falling out with her, didn't you?" "Yes."

"And Chester called nearly every night you were there?" "A good deal of the time."

"And you and he were alone in the parlor much of the time?" "Yes."

"Weren't you and Chester in the parlor at Mrs. Cummings's one night kissing and hugging each other?" "No."

"Within the past two months haven't you frequently been with Chester?" "No."

"Were you with him on Patriots' Day, 1908?" "I know your tricks, Mr. Daly, you are making insinuations. am telling the truth."

Mrs. Alice (Dot) McLean followed Mrs. Burns on the witness stand and testified that she planned the trip to Gofstown, N. H., which Mrs. Burns took, and that she also invited Reichenbacher to go because he was a friend and she thought he would enjoy it.

Girl Jilted, Sues Jeweler Who Showered Her With Diamonds

One of a series of snapshots, showing Miss Maud Ronca sitting on the knee of Nathan Medlow, which she will use in pressing her suit for lost love against him.

Portrait of Miss Maud Ronca, Boston violinist and former friend of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who is suing Lynn tradesman for heart balm.

The entrancing music of the violin of Miss Maud Ronca won for her princely jewels from Nathan Medlow and, as she thought, his heart.

But the music lost its charm, his love grew cold and now Miss Ronca has brought suit for $10,000 for breach of promise.

A firebird musician, a charming virtuoso on the violin, a successful vaudeville artist as a member of the Ronca sisters, the fair plaintiff to-day told a story of her courtship that teems with romance. She is now at the home of her father at No. 2 St. Botolph street, Boston.

Through her attorneys, E. Mark Sullivan, Miss Ronca filed her suit in the Essex County Probate Court at Salem. Miss Ronca declares that another young woman has won Medlow's affections.

Medlow is a stationer, jeweller and dealer in precious stones. He is reputed to be wealthy. He does business in Lynn. He denied that he promised to marry the young woman and declared that he would fight her case to a finish.

Snapshots as Evidence.

One of the exhibits in the trial will be an album filled with snapshot photographs of Miss Ronca and Medlow in memorable together and with their arms about each other in the most affectionate manner.

Miss Ronca and her sister appeared on the vaudeville circuit as expert violinists. She is an attractive, vivacious girl, with dark brown and light hair. This is her story:

"When we completed our vaudeville tour of the country two years ago I accepted a Summer engagement as director of the ladies' orchestra at the Relay House at Base Point. I furnished the orchestra. I went to work on May 30, 1906.

"It was about two weeks later when during an evening concert I met Medlow. I had played a violin solo. I can't remember what it was. But I remember that he had been standing watching me and seemed to be very much moved by the selection and applauded so heartily that I had to play an encore.

Costly Gems for Gifts.

"That evening he begged an introduction and he seemed such a pleasant gentleman that I was much attracted to him from the first. He was there the next evening and before he left me he placed on my finger a solitaire diamond ring worth $500.

"Soon after that he gave me a very handsome watch. It was quite large, inch in diameter but it was of solid gold and attached to it was a fob chain that was studded with diamonds. I should have told you that Mr. Medlow traded in diamonds and other precious stones.

"He treated me royally in every way. Every minute of his time he was at my side. We met at Salisbury Beach and spent a delightful time for he said that he would not let me work any longer. I lived in the best style and had automobiles and everything I wanted. He loaded me down with jewels.

"His great passion was music and I played for him on the violin every day. After the season at the beach I went to Lynn and had a house on Cherry street. From there I moved to Revere and took a house on Campbell street. It was furnished magnificently. My family visited me there and we had a family reunion on Christmas and a Christmas tree. At that time I was known as Mrs. Medlow to my people.

"He gave me a diamond horse shoe so large that I could not bow with it pinned to my throat. It was worth something like $5,000. He would bring home something like a pint of diamonds and pouring them into my lap he would say, 'Take your pick.'

"This ideal life of love and happiness continued until early last Winter. Then he began to need money. He took the big horseshoe from me on the pretence, at last, that he wanted to raise some money on it."

WOMAN FIGHTS RESCUER AFTER SUICIDE LEAP

NEW YORK, May 18.—A woman supposed to be Mrs. Mary Lee, a widow, of Buffalo, but more recently living on East Fifty-fourth street, jumped from the upper deck of the Lackawanna ferryboat Hoboken on its way to Hoboken to-day and after a desperate struggle with a man who jumped after her was taken from the river unconscious and taken to a Hoboken hospital.

She left to a bundling a letter addressed to a man whom she declared to be responsible for her attempt to drown herself. It said that he had lured her from her husband by his "sweet way of making love," but that after had afterward learned his true character.

The woman after boarding the ferryboat made her way to the after part of the upper deck. She paced up and down nervously until the ferryboat reached the middle of the river. Then she suddenly ran to the rail, climbed over it and sprang off with a shriek.

Fights Hero in Water.

As the woman plunged into the water Arthur Walsh of Greenpoint flung off his coat and sprang from the upper deck after her. Women on the upper deck screamed and a number of men shouted to the pilot to stop the boat.

The ferryboat blew her whistle and a number of tugs took up the signalling. Others put out and about town where the Hopatcong was backing her engines.

Walsh struck the water near the woman and in a few moments the men were by arise, with her clothing clutched in one hand, but she was thrashing about in terror herself. The woman managed to tear herself free of Walsh's grasp and disappeared again.

Both Are Saved.

Walsh dived after her. He emerged quickly and again and sold of the woman. Her struggles were now fainter and soon subsided altogether. A new York Central tug approached and he was thrown a rope and both were hauled aboard and conveyed to the ferryboat.

Walsh was on hand for his plunge. He went into the engine room of the Hopatcong and dried his clothing and then went on his work.

MISSING ARCHDUKE HUSTLES FOR JOB

CLEVELAND, May 18.—John Salvator, who says he is the missing Archduke Johann Salvator of Austria, arrived here to-day from Caleaja, vowing he would produce proof of his noble birth in three days. Meanwhile he is hunting a job as a machinist in order to live. He left for Painesville.

ELIOT ENDS 40 YEARS BY A BUSY DAY

President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard is spending the last day of his forty years as head of the oldest college in America as quietly as if it were an ordinary day of the mid-term. Throughout the day he was in the library of his home attending to routine matters, and preparing the affairs of the office for President-elect Lowell, who will assume his duties to-morrow morning.

As his life custom President Eliot arose early and by 7 o'clock was out for his morning walk. He had breakfast at 8 o'clock, and after glancing through the morning papers, began work promptly at 9 o'clock in the library on the first floor of his home.

When seen to-day by a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN he was sitting at a large mahogany table strewn engrossed in a mass of typewritten copy that looked like a report of some department. Around him on the table in neat, methodical piles were many other papers and pamphlets that gave evidence that his last day at Harvard would be a busy one.

As the reporter entered he quickly pushed back his chair and arose. He advanced a few steps and extend in his usual pose—shoulders thrown back and the right foot slightly forward. He wore a dark suit of mixed gray worsted with a cravat of a delicate brown.

Dr. Eliot said he was simply performing routine duties. He had received no callers except a few persons who called on matters concerning the University.

There was no demonstration by the students to-day, and any one passing the home of the "Prexy" would never suspect that it marked an epoch in the history of Harvard.

The student body will be in mass meeting at the Harvard Union to-morrow night to arrange for a "send-off" to the President.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

LODGE GIVES TAFT DOVEY'S FREE TICKET

WASHINGTON, May 18.—On behalf of George B. Dovey, president of the Boston National Baseball Club, Senator Lodge presented to the President to-day a silver plate bearing the words "special ticket" to all the National League baseball games played in Boston this season. The Senator suggested that President Taft might wish to see a few games in Boston during his stay at Beverly, Mass. The President accepted with thanks, and said he would make use of it.

WOMAN AND SON TO WALK 400 MILES

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., May 18.—What is probably the longest walk ever made by a woman and her son-in-law is being planned by Mrs. Stella N. Champney, a reporter on a Traverse City paper, in company with her fifteen-year-old son, Don O. Champney, who will walk from Oberlin, O., to Traverse City in June. The distance is more than 400 miles.

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SEND IN FLAT PACKAGE DO NOT ROLL

SAFEBLOWER SUSPECT HELD

In an effort to identify Gus Palmer, alias J. W. Wilson, and Tim Sheedy, alias Thomas A. Stanley, with the blowing-up and looting of the safe in the store of Crimmins & Magrath in Boylston street, where $5,500 was taken, Gustaf Gustafson, the Bertillon expert of the police department here, to-day left for Springfield, where the two men are detained in $5,000 bail each.

Palmer, who is a brother of Herman Palmer, a noted safe blower and robber, and Sheedy were arrested last night in Springfield. They were looking into the store of A. E. Cupiesse in Broad street, that city.

To-day they pleaded guilty to carrying loaded revolvers and not guilty to having burglar tools and safe blowing implements in their possession. Judge Bosworth held them for a hearing on May 22.

Chief Watts of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation called Chief of Police Quirk of Springfield by 'phone to-day and told him he believed the men were those who had blown the Crimmins & McGrath safe and that Inspector Gustafson was on his way to Springfield to measure them and look to identify them. A man resembling Palmer was seen near the Boylston street store shortly before the burglary Saturday night last. Gus Palmer's picture is in the rogue's gallery here and in Springfield. Sheedy has had a record, too, the police say.

M'CULLOUGH STILL IN JAIL

Convicted of conspiracy and larceny in connection with the buying of $200 worth of law books, Leo McCullough, former president of the Common Council, has thus far been unable to obtain bail. He is in the Charles Street Jail.

While he was spending the night there his friends were hustling around trying to raise the bail of $3,500 fixed by Judge Schofield. They were unable, however, to obtain the money.

McCullough spent a very restless night. He slept but very little.

To-day District Attorney Hill, who succeeded in convicting McCullough and Attorney James T. Cassidy, threw down the gauntlet to the "grafters." He declares that he will work unceasingly in pursuance of all who have been "grafting" on the community.

He is to move rapidly against the other men accused of stealing from the city. Just what plans the District Attorney has mapped out for the future are being secretly guarded, and not a single word could be obtained from him on this point to-day.

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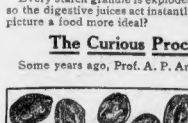

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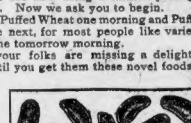

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White Skirts at 1.69 each, values 1.50 to 1.89.
House Dresses, 1.99 each, values 2.50.
Black Panama Skirts, 3.95 each, value 5.00.
Tailor Made Suits, 9.85 each, value 15.00.
Imported Mercerized Gauze Lisle Stockings, 33c. a pair, value 50c.
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LOST YOUNG WIFE'S LOVE, ASKS $15,000

Gifts of luscious strawberries and rosy cheeked apples are said to have been the beginning of a friendship between the Crockett and Dorr families of Woodhaven avenue, Randolph, followed by divorce and alienation proceedings.

Harry L. Dorr, shoemaker, aged twenty-five, has sued Percy C. Crockett, aged forty-five, his neighbor and erstwhile friend, for $15,000, charging that he stole his wife's affections.

Crockett's property has been attached and papers were filed in Dedham by Dorr, charging the elder neighbor with breaking up his home and naming Alma as co-respondent in divorce proceedings. Dorr's counsel is Probate Judge Louis A. Cook.

Mrs. Dorr is but twenty-one years of age. They have been married four years and have one child, aged three. Mr. and Mrs. Dorr have been separated for some months, following the controversy in which the name of Crockett played an important part. The Dorr family broke silence today regarding the domestic tangle. The mother of Harry L. Dorr said:

"The trouble between my son and his wife dates back three years. Mr. Crockett, who has a wife and son, lived on the next farm, and so passed our house regularly and it became his custom to call and be very neighborly.

"Mr. Crockett is quite wealthy, owning many houses, and perhaps this turned the head of my daughter-in-law. Mr. Crockett used to call and leave strawberries and apples and chat with the members of this household. Harry's wife at last came to anticipate his calls and we remarked how she would wait around the gate for an hour or two at a time before he passed.

"Reproved for this she gave us no satisfaction and things went from bad to worse, until some months ago they separated, she taking her child away."

MRS. GLYN GAILY HITS AT CRITICS

LONDON—Mrs. Elinor Glyn gave out an interview after the Morning Leader has sold of the reception accorded "Elizabeth Visits America" in New York. Mrs. Glyn wrote the following:

"One of Mrs. Glyn's servants reads the Leader. But for this fact the authoress would still be ignorant that the paper is in existence. A maid with a sense of humor borrowed the Leader from the fellow-servant and showed it to her mistress, and Mrs. Glyn found sufficient entertainment for one day at least. I don't feel in the least worried by it, and I am glad that a paper which is read by my servants was shown to me. My American friends also have a sense of humor."

Mrs. Glyn said, apropos of the remark attributed to Miss Imogene King, that she thought American men incredible because they did not fly at her when she was in a cab and cry 'a kiss her,' by saying, "Most unfortunately I never was in an American cab. I don't in the least know who Mrs. Imogene King is."

POSTPONE TRIAL OF SEEGAL AND GORDON

The trial of Morris Seegal and Morris Gordon, Chelsea contractors, charged with manslaughter in the deaths of nine men who were killed by a falling wall on August 25, 1908, in Chelsea, was to-day, at the request of Attorney John P. Feeney, counsel for the men, postponed by Judge Schofield until next month. Attorney Feeney said that civil cases against the men will probably be reached this month, and a trial at this time might jeopardize the interests of the defendants. The wall which collapsed was a part of the old Academy of Music building in Chelsea square. The defendants are charged with criminal negligence.

DRIVEN INSANE BY DOUBLE OF VICTIM

ZACATECAS, Mexico, May 18.—Rendered insane by unexpectedly coming on the street the twin brother of a nephew he had murdered, Antonio Aguilar, believing he saw the ghost of his victim, fell to his knees, pleading for mercy and confessed the crime. The murder of Eustaquio Aguilar had been a mystery until the return of his twin brother Juan, who had been absent from home for years, led to the chance meeting with the prostrating effect upon his uncle, Antonio. The uncle was taken into custody, apparently hopelessly insane.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY ST. BRENDANS

The Knights of St. Brendan have elected the following: Dennis J. McGillicuddy, president; Michael J. McCarthy, vice-president; John P. O'Donoghue, recording secretary; John F. Sullivan, financial secretary; Jas. F. O'Connell, treasurer; Michael J. Daly, sentinel; Timothy C. Horgan, Jeremiah Griffin, Daniel E. Irwin, trustees.

SPECIALIST CAN'T STOP HICCOUGHS

PITTSFIELD, May 18.—Suffering from hiccoughs, State Highway Commissioner John H. Manning is seriously ill at his home in this city. He had been ill for a week with peritonitis, but the symptoms changed and a gastritis set in, being aggravated by the hiccoughs. Last evening Dr. Elliot P. Joslin of Boston, a specialist, was called, but all attempts to stop the hiccoughs have been unsuccessful.

HIGHWAYMAN KILLS A BRAVE FIREMAN

MINNEAPOLIS, May 18.—John McNamara, a fire department lieutenant, was shot and killed almost instantly while trying to run down a highwayman and McNamara overtook and grappled with him. The man burst a revolver into McNamara's ribs and fired. Later he was caught and gave his name as Frank Erickson of Chicago.

$1,000,000 FIRE IN AKRON.

AKRON, O., May 18.—The Howe Building, one of the finest in Akron, caught fire to-day. The firemen fought hard to save it, but it was doomed from the first. The loss is estimated at $1,000,000.

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MRS. FRANK J. GOULD WINS SENSATIONAL SUIT FOR A DIVORCE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gould

NEW YORK, May 18.—The referee appointed in June last to take testimony in the action brought by Mrs. Frank J. Gould for an absolute divorce will hand in his report to the Supreme Court within a few days.

It is understood he will recommend that she be granted her decree, and in consequence all that will remain will be the final signing of the papers by the presiding justice. Mrs. Gould, who was Helen Margaret Kelly, will, it is reported, be permitted to resume her maiden name and will receive the consent of the court to remarry after the expiration of the interlocutory period made necessary under the most recent amendments to the divorce law.

The young woman will have the custody of her children, Helen, six years, and Dorothy, four years old, five months in the year. The remaining seven months, it is said, that they will be given over to the care of their father.

Asked No Alimony.

Although the action was bitterly fought for many months, Mrs. Gould did not ask for alimony. According to her lawyers she is wealthy, and the question of an annuity from her husband had never risen in court. A liberal settlement has been made on her by her husband, but the exact amount will not be revealed. The agreement as to the custody of the children was entered into some months ago, and all the justice will be asked to do is to submit to the wishes of both parties to the action.

The former Miss Kelly's father was a staunch Catholic and her uncle, Thomas J. Kelly, is a chamberlain to the Pope.

Mrs. Gould had appeared on many occasions before Edward G. Whittaker, the referee, to give testimony, but her presence was of a secret nature and was never made known to the public.

She was at her Madison avenue home when a reporter for the AMERICAN called but she professed ignorance of the referee's finding.

Names to Remain Secret.

As the papers in the action were ordered sealed it is not probable that the names of the co-respondents in the action will ever become known. Young Mr. Gould defended the suit and denied all his wife's legal charges, but according to the counsel in the case, he has behaved chivalrously in the matter.

Mrs. Gould first sued for a separation. She was not disposed to cause her husband any more trouble than possible and to spare his feelings declined on a score of occasions to discuss her intentions further than to say she felt that she was acting in a manner which could not be objected to.

Mr. Gould was equally reticent about all family affairs and spared his wife every humiliation possible. The first word of the action brought against him, and when questioned time after time as to the possibility of a reconciliation, always remarked that "such a thing between a man and his wife who loved each other was never out of the question."

There were often rumors of reconciliation and friends close to the young couple always considered that this would be the ultimate outcome of their difference until Mr. Gould finally announced that his wife was determined, and that he would fight her suit in open court.

The AMERICAN is Boston's great Home paper.

HEIRS FIGHT FOR SPRECKLES WEALTH

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—The expected contest of the will of Claus Spreckels, who bequeathed $40,000,000 to his sons, Rudolph and Claus Augustus Spreckels, and his daughter, Mrs. Emma C. Perris, while disinherited his sons, John D. and Adolph Spreckels, has been begun.

The first step was taken when the petition of Rudolph and C. Augustus, as executors of the will, for the partial distribution of the estate to themselves as trustees, was vigorously opposed by John D. and Adolph.

The will had been permitted to go to probate without objection, but it was expected that a contest would be made when in application for distribution should be made. Attorney Cope, acting for John D. and Adolph Spreckels, interposed a voluminous demurrer, and the matter was continued for one week. In explaining the demurrer, Mr. Cope said:

"This means a contest and war to the knife. We will attack the validity of the trust clause and attempt to have the will set aside and secure our legal share of the estate. We were obliged to demur to the application for distribution, as otherwise the validity of the will could not be attacked later, and we would have lost our rights."

FIREMAN FINDS OWN HOME ABLAZE

William Heidt, driver for Engine No. 40 of East Boston, responded to the alarm from Box No. 630 to-day. The house at No. 38 Bennington street was afire. "Great Scott!" exclaimed Heidt, when he saw the location. "It's my own house!" And with that he and his comrades made quick work of the slight blaze in his own flat on the first floor. One of the children had spent a small oilstove.

WALTER ELY CLARK ALASKA GOVERNOR

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The President to-day sent to the Senate the nomination of Walter Ely Clark, of Connecticut, a newspaper correspondent, to be Governor of Alaska, to succeed Wilfred J. Hoggatt.

WASHBURN CIVIL SERVICE APPOINTEE

WASHINGTON, May 18.—President Taft to-day announced the appointment of William R. Washburn of the District of Columbia as Civil Service Commissioner to succeed James T. Williams, Etc., who resigned yesterday. Mr. Washburn for five years was a member of the Philippines Civil Commission.

NEW ELEVATOR TO COST A MILLION

The Boston & Albany Railroad has let the contract for its new grain elevator in East Boston to the Witherspoon-Engler Company of Chicago, at a cost price of about $1,000,000. The new elevator is to be built on Marginal street, and have a capacity of 1,000,000 bushels. It will be operated by electricity, and have two double bins capable of loading four vessels at the same time. The elevator is to be fireproof, with a grain-drying building attached.

SHOOTS GIRL WHO SPURNED HIM, AND SELF

PROVIDENCE, May 18.—Driven to anger by the unreturned love of sixteen-year-old Mabel Arshian, daughter of a wealthy Armenian jewelry manufacturer, Aram Sartanian, eighteen years old, drew a revolver to-day and fired two shots at the girl, the bullets taking effect in her arm, and then shot himself in his head.

The young people were rushed to the Rhode Island Hospital, where it is thought they will recover. Zartanian and Mabel Arshian are employed in her father's factory on Orange street.

The girl had had some differences with her parents and she lived with Olive Rimmer, another employe at the factory. Young Zartarian often called to see the girl. A month ago he asked Arshian for his daughter's hand in marriage.

"My daughter is rather young to think of marriage," replied Arashian at that time. "But I will ask her."

A short time ago the father asked the daughter if she wished to marry Zartanian. "No, I do not love him," she is said to have replied.

The manufacturer told young Zartanian a few days ago that his daughter would not marry him. To-day when Zartanian entered the factory he engaged the girl in conversation and without warning drew a thirty-two caliber revolver and fired.

OIL ON STREET WINS PRAISE OF PUBLIC

That the petitions received by the street department requesting the oiling of thoroughfares where the dust is now laid by means of water, remember the protests received by the department by five to two, was the statement made by Superintendent of Streets Emerson to the AMERICAN to-day.

"The oil method of laying the dust costs 20 per cent. more than the water plan," says the superintendent, "but we are convinced, after practical tests, that it is 20 per cent. better. We have received some protests against the use of oil, upon the ground that it injures clothing and throws off a disagreeable odor."

"We would be very glad to give those who object to the oil the old plan of laying the dust with water. Residents on Vinecord Square were among the first to petition that the oil method be abandoned, and in compliance with their wishes the watering cart service has been resumed, and they are petitioning against the laying of the dust by water and have urged that we go back to the oil method.

"The oil method is more economical, and if people are satisfied that they like it better we will be very glad to accommodate them where it is practical.

INJUNCTION TIES UP NICKERSON'S INCOME

The income of $200 a year to which Ernest Nickerson of this city is entitled under the terms of the will of his father, Thomas Nickerson, was to-day tied up by an injunction issued by Judge Richardson of the Superior Court against the Boston Safe Deposit Company, which holds the funds. The injunction was issued at the request of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, which executed a bond and had to pay $7,000, so it claims, to carry out the accounts of the Bell & Company concern of which Nickerson was a member. The firm contracted with the United States government to furnish 45,000 tons of stones and perform certain work at Long Beach, Plymouth, which it failed to do.

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Porch Rockers—Like illustration, made of selected maple, with double woven seat. Worth $2.50, Wednesday sale. 1.25

Dining Chairs—Exceptionally strong, solid oak, with full box seat. $2.25 value, Wednesday at 1.39

Golden Oak Chiffoniers—Like cut, made of selected stock. Have five deep, full-sized drawers, with brass trimmings. $5.95 value. Wednesday sale..... 3.95

Golden Oak or Imitation Mahogany Morris Chairs—Heavy frames, finely finished and fitted with loose velour cushions. Worth $6.00. Wednesday at..... 3.95

Solid Oak China Cabinet—With bent glass ends. This cabinet is well constructed and finished. Value $16.95, for Wednesday sale..... 12.95

Golden Oak Dressers—Of several styles, with oval or pattern shaped mirrors. Average value $7.98, for Wednesday only at, each..... 4.95

$35.00 Solid Oak Sideboard, 24.75
$16.50 Solid Oak Sideboard, 11.95
$35.00 Quartered Oak Buffet, 24.75
$16.50 Golden Oak Round Table, 9.95
$4.50 Parlor Tables, several styles, 2.95
$10.98 Upholstered Couches, 6.95
$12.00 Princess Dressers..... 7.95

Round Top Weathered Oak Mission Tables — 40-inch top. $5.00 value, this sale. 3.98
$50.00 3-piece Parlor Suites, 34.75
$6.00 Large Upholstered Rockers, 3.95
$12.00 Mahogany Finished Rockers, 5.95
$59.98 Leather Turkish Rocker, 24.75

$2.50 High Back Porch Rockers, 1.29
$4.95 Porch Settees..... 3.69
$12.00 Weathered Oak Dressers, 9.95
$30 5 pc. Parlor Suites... $17.95
$12 Golden Oak Dressers. $7.95
$12 Golden Oak Chiffoniers, $7.95
$5 Parlor Rockers..... $2.95

In Our Bedding Department

For Wednesday's selling we offer Combination Outfits as special features for the summer camps and cottages.

$10 Outfit for $7.50
White Iron Bed—Like cut, with brass lacquered top rail, vases and mounts, all steel tube frame, woven wire spring, and white cotton top mattress in fancy striped ticking. All sizes.

$13.50 Outfit for $9.98
Enamel Bed—As illustrated, with brass spindle in head and footboard and beautiful scroll design, all iron national spring and combination mattress with top and bottom of white cotton. All sizes.

$16.50 Outfit for $11.98
Continuous Post Bed—Like cut, with one-inch brass top rail, husks and spindles, national spring, with all iron frame and a special combination mattress with extra heavy ticking. Single, three-quarter and full sizes.

$12.00 Felt Mattresses, built up in layers of white cotton felt, full thickness and weight, stitched "Roll Edge" and covered in fancy "Art" ticking, all sizes. Only 8.50

69c Pillows—Size 18x25, made of new feathers, thoroughly cleansed and guaranteed free from odor and dust, fancy striped pattern of ticking. Only, each..... 45c

$4.50 National Springs—Made extra strong, with large solid square castings at each corner, in all sizes, for either wood or iron beds, at 3.25

$2.00 Folding Cot Beds—27 inches wide, all iron frame, bronzed and fitted with national spring top.. 1.39

$4.00 Combination Mattresses—With top and bottom of white cotton and excelsior centre, fancy striped ticking, all sizes, only..... 2.98

$2.50 Springs—All steel tube frame, nicely bronzed and fitted with double woven wire fabric, in all sizes, at 1.89

In Draperies and Upholstery

3.00 Bonne Femme Curtains 1.98

This 60c Ruffle Muslin Curtain 39c a pair—Full 3-yard length, good quality, plain or figured, hemstitched ruffle. 39c

This 85c Scotch Lace Curtain 44c a pair—Very effective and serviceable novelty pattern. 44c

This 1.25 Scotch Lace Curtain 79c a pair—Extra fine quality, in a beautiful lacy pattern, made for the queen. 79c

This 49c Ruffled Muslin Curtain 29c a pair—Dainty, white muslin, trimmed with Battenberg lace edge and insertion. 49c

Awning Stripe—Best quality, 8 ounce, in an assortment of stripes. Lengths up to 10 yards. Value 25c a yard 15c

Silkoline—Beautiful floral and oriental patterns, in lengths up to 6 yards, excellent quality. Value 12½c a yard.. 6c

Couch Covers—50 inches wide, in oriental stripes, trimmed with knotted fringe, also suitable for portieres. Value 79c each 59c

Curtain Rods—Brass extension tubes with brass ball ends; extend to 45 inches; for lace and muslin curtains. Value 10c each 5c

Cross Stripe Curtains—Fine quality of stamine, with red and green cross stripes; for doors and windows. Value 75c a pair..... 49c

Sash Curtains—Cross-bar muslin of fine sheer quality; also dots of various sizes. Value 25c a pair..... 17c

Sofa Pillows—24x24 inch, silk floss, well filled, plain cambric covering, best substitute for down. Price for Wednesday only..... 37c

Curtain Muslin—36 inches wide, neat, effective patterns and dots, for sash and long curtains. Value 18c a yd 11c

In Floor Coverings

Linoleums, 12-ft. wide, made of cork and linseed oil, some of them possibly subject to slight misprints, in no way affecting their wearing qualities, 75c value, at 47c per sq. yard..... 47c

Wilton Velvet Rugs, an excellent covering for the parlor floor:

Size	Value	At
6x9	15.00	10.98
8.3x10.6	20.00	15.98
9x12	23.00	17.98

9-Wire Tapestry Brussels Rugs—Only one pattern, size 9x12. $16 value, at.. 10.98

Axminster Rugs—Just received, every pattern new. Beautiful covering for the parlor floor.

Size	Value	At
8.3x10.6	21.00	17.48
9x12	25.00	20.48

Tapestry Brussels—Woven without a seam, excellent covering for the living room.

Size	Value	At
8.3x10.6	15.00	11.98
9x12	18.00	13.98

No Seconds, or goods with mismatched breadths are ever carried in our rug department.

Ingrain Art Squares—In granite weave; extra heavy quality.

Size	Value	At
2 x3 yards	2.40	1.50
2½x3 yards	3.00	2.25
3 x3 yards	3.50	2.65
3½x3 yards	4.00	3.10
4 x3 yards	4.50	3.58

Wilton Velvet Carpets—Rich, beautiful effects, in parlor, hall and stair patterns. 98c
$1.38 value.....

China Mattings—In fancy colorings, by the roll of 20 or 40 yards only, at 10c, 13c and 19c

CAPT. HAINS IN SING SING CELL TO-DAY

NEW YORK, May 18.—Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., the convicted slayer of William E. Annis, was to-day taken from the county jail of Queens in Long Island City to the State prison to Sing Sing.

Frequent trips to the prison will be made by General Hains, Mrs. Hains and Major Hains, and everything that can be done to cheer up the prisoner will be done by the family which has shown such deep devotion for the captain.

Eugene N. L. Young, of counsel for the defence, made the following statement to-day:

"There will be no application for a certificate of reasonable doubt or a stay of execution of sentence at this time. There will be an appeal taken in the regular way. This appeal I am preparing."

Recognized by Few.

Captain Hains was handcuffed to a deputy warden as he was brought from the jail and put aboard a train at the Grand Central station. Hains on his journey appeared to be little more interested in what was going on than he was during his trial at Flushing. He looked emaciated, but puffed vigorously at a cigar whenever he had the opportunity during the ride from Long Island City to the Grand Central station.

The army officer was in charge of Deputy Warden Gilfoyl, who took his prisoner to a Jackson avenue trolley car from the jail. The two boarded a ferryboat to the foot of East Thirty-fourth street, but were recognized by only a few of the passengers. On the car from the ferry up Fifty-seventh and to Forty-second street Hains was generally recognized.

The deputy warden and his prisoner hurried from the car because it was within a few minutes of train time. They had to go to the temporary station at Forty-fourth street, and this extra walk caused them to arrive at the train shed just as the gates had been closed.

Retreat from a Crowd.

General Peter C. Hains, the prisoner's father, and his brother, Major Hains, were at the station to meet Captain Hains, but took the train when he did not arrive in time. They waited for the next train at the Ossining station and met him when he left the car there.

In the meantime, Deputy Warden Gilfoyl took his prisoner back to the waiting room. There it soon became known that Captain Hains was on his way to Sing Sing and a crowd began to gather about him and the Deputy Warden. The crowd became so annoying that Hains was taken to an anteroom to wait for the next train.

The sentencing of Captain Hains does not affect his status in the army. He is on record as "detached by civil authorities," but as he is not on duty he does not receive pay.

District Attorney Dewitt was asked today what the indeterminate sentence of from eight to eighteen years meant, and replied: "No one except the State Board of Parole seems to know how to figure out these new sentences, but it means that Hains cannot get free inside of eight years."

BATTLE IN NIGHT WITH A WILDCAT

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., May 18.—Dan Carpenter and Thomas West, of this city, returned here from the mountains with a thrilling story of a hand-to-hand battle with a large wildcat, which attacked them after they had been hunting twenty days from a local velocipede.

The machine came in collision in the darkness with the cat and the animal attacked them as they lay stunned. A fierce struggle of thirty minutes followed.

Finally the two men struck the wildcat dead with a log. They were seriously wounded.

ISELIN'S NEPHEW PAYS FINE OF $5

C. Oliver Iselin, Jr., twenty-two years old, the nephew of J. Oliver Iselin, of New York millionaire, drew a crisp $5 bill from a large roll in the Municipal Court to-day and paid a fine for driving his automobile the wrong way through West street, which is a one-way street under the new traffic regulations.

Iselin's case was to have come up before Judge Sullivan in the Municipal Court on May 11, but at the student's request it was postponed, so that he might attend the wedding of his cousin, Nora, to Count Ferdinand Colloredo-Mansfeld in New York.

POLICE GUARD BAKERIES.

NEW YORK, May 18.—For three days police were ordered to guard to-day to protect the bakeries on the lower East Side, which have been shut down.

Important to all Women

Readers of this Paper.

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the *result* of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they will cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and loss of ambition.

Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any one so.

But thousands of irritable, nervous, tired and broken-down women have restored their health and strength by the use of Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy.

Swamp-Root brings new life and activity to the kidneys, the *cause* of such troubles.

May send for a sample bottle to one what Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, will do for them. Every reader of this paper, who has not already tried it, may address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and receive sample bottle free by mail. You can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores.

GOOD JUDGMENT

We marvel at the miracles performed in Nature. The smallest animal is endowed with the full sense of self-preservation. The bear gathers honey for the coming Winter; the active squirrel stores away his supply of acorns to satisfy hunger in future, while the industrious ant hoards food with which to sustain life. The wise, or Creator has always seen good judgment to spread speaks of what he is going to do, but he acts. In his saving he fortifies his system to resist the approach of disease. He wards off attacks of disease by going to the drug store and getting a 50 days' treatment of Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound, 25 cents. This famous remedy is so simple, pure and efficient in its perfect. In all cases of the nerves, blood, kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels results have been produced which for with a startling assurance of the great superiority of the medicine. If a cure should not be effected return the empty box and the money will be immediately refunded, or if you cannot afford the small outlay a treatment will be sent free. Dr. W. S. Burkhart, H. Station, Cincinnati, Ohio.

CHAUFFEUR RETURNS TO BOSTON SAME DAY MRS. SHAW ARRIVES

First photographs of Chauffeur Marble, with whom Mrs. Shaw eloped.

Mrs. Nettie E. Shaw, wife of Senator James F. Shaw; her father, H. Fisher Eldredge, and her twelve-year-old son Eldredge, are to-day at Mr. Eldredge's summer home in Dartmouth.

H. Keno Marble, the chauffeur with whom Mrs. Shaw eloped to Santa Barbara, Cal., one year ago, has been seen in Boston.

Senator James F. Shaw to-day said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter that while he did not know the exact whereabouts of Mrs. Shaw, her father and his son, he had no doubt that the agreement between him and his father-in-law and the court order to deliver he boy to him would be carried out.

Herald: "I haven't the slightest reason to doubt that the contract will be carried out to the letter. The agreement was that the boy should be brought by Mr. Eldredge to me on Friday, May 21, which is next Friday. That, also, was the order of the California court. These were all made in good faith, and, of course, will be carried out in that spirit. I have never had any reason to believe differently, and the boy, of course, will be in my custody within a few days."

Mrs. Shaw in Seclusion.

Mr. Eldredge, the millionaire Portsmouth shipbuilder, his daughter and his grandson slipped into Chatham yesterday afternoon in a big touring car. They were whirled to Mr. Eldredge's Summer estate and when well within the grounds and safe from prying eyes alighted and went into the house.

Mrs. Shaw has not been seen since. She will not be interviewed and even intimate friends are excluded from the mansion.

Mr. Eldredge declared to reporters that he had nothing to say. He would not even say whether his daughter was with him or not. Asked about his grandson, he took the same course and said that he had absolutely nothing to say. He would reveal none of his plans as to when he expected to leave Chatham.

Chauffeur Marble was seen in Boston yesterday afternoon by a business associate of Mr. Eldredge's. This man knows Marble well by sight. Scores of times he has seen Marble bring the Shaw automobile to a downtown business house in the afternoon waiting a letter when this gentleman saw him.

Then I stepped into my office," said the business man, "I saw Marble. He was standing at a desk and writing a letter. The morning he was in he became pale as death. Then he flushed. He grabbed up the letter he was engaged in writing and hurried out of the place. He really fled, although he pretended to be oblivious to my presence.

Marble Shows Worry.

"I could not be mistaken in the man. I have seen him too often for that. Then, the man's actions showed plainly that he recognized me the moment I did him. For no one but I came in the office at that particular moment.

"Marble was showing the effects of his recent trouble. He was pale. His face was drawn and somewhat emaciated. He looked to be in a bad way physically and his clothes, which looked neat, just hung on him instead of fitting."

While Mrs. Shaw, her son, her father, Mr. Eldredge and Chauffeur Marble are all in the East, now, there is no mention of a reconciliation between Senator Shaw and his wife, who slipped away from his home nearly two years ago.

Mrs. Shaw took her little son with her to Portsmouth, N. H., the home of her girlhood, and where about thirteen years ago she and James F. Shaw were wedded on the broad lawn amid scenes of magnificence and prodigal expenditure of wealth still talked of in the New Hampshire city.

Then followed a sensational series of attempts on the part of Senator Shaw to have his son kidnapped for him. Armed guards were placed around the Eldredge home, and every attempt to steal the boy away was frustrated.

When Shaw appealed to the United States courts for his boy the flight to California followed. Then another sensation, the greatest of all, when H. Keno Marble, the Shaw chauffeur, disappeared and was traced to California.

Three detectives about six weeks ago found the couple and the little son of the state senator. Mrs. Shaw had been living in wealth under her own name in Pasadena, while the Rana Barbara she took tickets in a little moving picture house and posed as Mrs. Marble. Detectives found them during supper in a small hotel and the child was taken away from them and a court order for his return to his father secured.

QUICK SWITCH AMONG BOYS IN WORLD RACE

STANDING ON SUNDAYS.

Hereafter the standing of the contestants in the Race Around the World, Tours to Europe and American Trips Contest will be printed every Sunday. The lists will close each Wednesday at 6 p. m. for publication on the following Sunday.

THE boys showed a remarkable spurt in the voting for the great 4 x 4 x 4 tours offered by the BOSTON AMERICAN. Four boys who improved their standing in the race and climbed several notches in the list were Merle D. Penney of Revere, Philip Maguire of Newport, R. I., and Hyman L. Whitman, Boston.

This quartette seems particularly determined to catch up on the leaders and will bear watching from now on. Penney is one of the New Yard candidates and came to time with a batch of 15,000 and vaulted into seventh place. Hyman L. Whitman added another 21,000 to his total, successfully using his head on second place, while Philip Maguire of Newport, R. I., slipped in enough votes by subscriptions to clamber into fifth place, displacing George D. Hanlon of the Dorchester Catholic Club. Leo Higgins also scraped a notch or two by adding over 4,000 to his total.

Finds Hard Worker.

Some time ago W. Lee Abbott, No. 86 Wheatland avenue, Dorchester, challenged any interested persons to help him win the the Race Around the World Prize by paltry subscriptions and to the one securing the largest number of times he attended the invitation to accompany him if he win. Abbott has jumped to the eleventh position on the list largely through the efforts of Chester L. Harris, No. 81 Portland street, Worcester. They promise some surprises before the contest is over and from present indications will bear watching when it comes to the neck to neck racing.

Alphonso Schwartz, No. 58 Pearl avenue, Beachmont, was a visitor at the Around-the-World department to-day. Schwartz is an enthusiastic worker and is hard at it in spending week end nights of securing subscriptions and filling up his friends in an effort to secure one of those free trips.

Grace F. Cohen, No. 45 Gaston street, Roxbury, is stirring things up in her section by canvassing among her various friends. She means to spend her vacation in the European capitols and is earnestly working to this end.

Another active candidate is Harold Warren, No. 30 Brook avenue. Warren declared in an interview to-day stated that as first he was content to try for one of the Canada trips, but now he has his eyes on the big prizes and intends to stand out for that in this. You can make preparations for me on that trip around the world. I'll be there," said Warren, as he hustled along with a new subscription book.

Edward O'Leary, No. 164 F street, South Boston, has been formally endorsed as the candidate of the Tiger Athletic Association. The members of this organization have got together and are unanimous in their support of this candidate. The resolution, being signed by President Lawrence H. Dunn.

Active Girl Worker.

Miss Lillian Green, No. 30 Chambers street, Boston, is among the hustlers in the Tours to Europe Contest. She is working might an main to win one of these tours and get a taste of the pleasure and experience derived from a European trip. She fully realizes the generosity of the offer and that it is given to but few school girls to take such a magnificent trip. Watch her!

Ida Sarks, No. 20 Emerald street, Boston, is another aggressive candidate and she is going to put up a strong fight for first place and walk off with one of the capital prizes.

Mary White, No. 9 Vale street, Roxbury, is steadily pushing forward and intends to give her opponents a merry chase. She realizes the advantage of the paid-in-advance subscriptions and is going at it hard.

Catherine Yoe, No. 632 Washington street, Quincy, is stirring things up in her immediate section. She is rallying the sympathy of her friends in her behalf and hopes to win by sheer determination and pluck.

The boys and girls are learning more than ever the advantage of subscription getting and in many cases have entirely devoted their time to this style of vote getting. The subscriptions are much easier to get now that the public is more interested in the candidates and their progress. Many subscribers who before had not been regular readers of the AMERICAN have expressed a desire to extend their subscriptions and have voluntarily come forward and made this proposition.

It is one of the easiest propositions ever made to school children. Nothing impossible about it. Nothing beyond the effort of the most ordinary boy or girl. It is merely a test of determination and stick-to-it qualities.

It is Up to You!

The boy or girl who can go out with a fixed purpose in mind to land subscriptions, either through friends or entire strangers, is the one who will win, not only in this contest, but in the battle of life. The prize is in them, and they are determined to bring it out. It is in each and every one of you but are you going to let it lie dormant or are you going to show your colors?

"SUFFRAGIST DELEGATES.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Among the passengers arriving to-day on the steamer Oscar II., from Copenhagen, Christiania and Christiansand, were five delegates to the international suffragist congress at Toronto. They are Mesdames Dagmar Bakewill, Fannie Schaelie, E. Gad, G. Krogh and Miss Astrid Meyer, representing Denmark, Norway and Sweden.

MAN UNDER POLICE GUARD IN HOSPITAL

As the result of a quarrel with his sweetheart, Teddy Zalko is in the Massachusetts General Hospital with two bullet wounds, and his sweetheart, Jennie Modlofsky, whom, it is alleged, he attempted to kill in her room in the house at No. 38 Poplar street, is at her room, suffering from a grave wound on the left cheek and an abrasion on the forehead. At the hospital a police officer stands guard over Zalko, who is under arrest, charged with attack with a loaded revolver, with intent to kill.

400 SALVATIONIST OFFICERS CONVENE

CHICAGO, May 18.—Four hundred officers of the Salvation Army from all parts of the United States are here for the convention of that organization, which begins to-day, to last until Sunday. Commander Eva Booth has arrived and will give her famous lecture, "In Darkest England," to-morrow evening at Orchestra Hall.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN BOSTON TO-NIGHT

American Music Society concert, Jordan Hall.

Reunion, Prince School Association, Copley Hall.

Lecture by Professor E. S. Morse for Japanese scholarship fund, Jordan Hall.

Morgan Memorial benefit, Shubert Hall.

Dance, Alpha Chapter, N. E. Conservatory, Hovey Hall.

Harvard Dramatic Club play, Brattle Hall, Cambridge.

Fathers and Mothers' Club concert, Huntington Chambers.

Congregational Church Conference, Park Street Church.

Masons Church play, St. Algonsius Hall, Roxbury.

Lecture by Joel Hathaway, Irish Charitable Society, Young's Hotel.

Whist, Roslindale Council, R. A., Fahring Hall, West Roxbury.

Dance, Epping Hill Athletic Association, Somerville.

Wellesley College orchestra concert, Billings Hall, Wellesley.

Reunion, St. Catherine's parish, Roughan's Hall, Charlestown.

Meeting alumni of Shaller School, Brookline.

Concert in honor of Miss Elma Edwards, Mal den Auditorium.

Meeting, Catholic Knights of America, Wheelock Hall, Dorchester.

Entertainment by West Boston children, Association Hall.

$19,000 GIFT LEADS TO COURT FIGHT

Claiming deposits amounting to $19,571, for which she holds the bank books, Elizabeth Cummings Blake of this city to-day died a bill in the Superior Court seeking an order compelling William N. Swan to pay over the sums to her. Swan is administrator of the estate of the late Hugh Cummings of Chelsea. The Blake woman alleges that Cummings turned over the bank books and intended that she would have the money as a gift. A subpoena returnable the first Monday in June was issued.

STEEPLEJACK SUES CHURCH FOR WAGES

LYNN, May 18.—John H. Cunningham, steeple-jack, to-day brought suit in Salem against the Chestnut Street Congregational Society of this city to recover a bill of $45, which he says is owed him for work he and a helper did for the church last July. An attachment covering $200 was held. Cunningham relates that he was employed by the church to install a weather vane on one on the steeple. He alleges that he has been repeatedly promised the money.

"CONVERT CHICAGO," URGES DR. M'ELVEEN

CHICAGO, May 18.—"Quit boasting about Chicago or produce the goods," demanded the Rev. William T. McElveen, pastor of the First Congregational Church at Evanston at the monthly dinner of the Chicago Congregational Club. "We seem to have plenty of gold," he said, "but only a pitiful $25,000 a year for missions. Convert Chicago and rejuvenate the Middle West. Send our best workers to Sedgwick street, not to Rochieben."

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Photos of four Tour candidates and Mr. Harris, who is assisting W. Lee Abbott in the race.

SAXONIA SAILS, 1,000 ABOARD

The Cunard line steamship Saxonia sailed for Liverpool at 9:30 a. m. to-day, carrying twice as large a list of passengers as had been expected. The vessel was away eighty saloon, 250 second cabin and 700 steerage passengers, a large number from this port for this time of year.

The Saxonia's cargo of freight, however, was rather light. There were great crowds at the dock and indescribable confusion. Several passengers arrived just too late to go aboard. Others came but their baggage didn't. Some of these went without their baggage, while others remained where to get their property, intending to take their tickets changed.

TAFT TACKLES FATHER TIME

WASHINGTON, May 18.—President Taft takes up with his cabinet to-day the international question of more daylight.

A delegation from Cincinnati representing the National Daylight Association called upon the President and requested him to take the initiative in a reform movement directed against the clock.

The idea is to begin the day two hours earlier during the Summer time to afford longer hours for afternoon and evening recreation.

It is proposed on the 1st of each May the clock hands be turned back two hours, the readjusted time to remain in effect until October 1, when with the later rising of the sun, the hands be turned forward to the present standard of time.

BRIDE BALKS AT SUICIDE; HE TRIES IT ALONE

After trying in vain to have his bride of two months enter into a suicide pact with him, Nils Swanson, sixty-five years old, of No. 262 Columbus avenue, early to-day tried to kill himself by slashing his throat with a razor.

Just before he became unconscious he tried to write his name in his own blood on the marble steps in the lower hallway of the house. He was taken to the City Hospital, where he revived at 8:30, and may recover.

Swanson is a mechanic. He works for the Sturtevant Blower Company at Beadville. He had started, ostensibly for his work when he attempted his life at the doorway of the apartment house where he and his wife lived.

A Melancholy Bridegroom.

"My husband has been melancholy for some time," said Mrs. Christine Swanson, who is about twenty years her husband's junior. "We were married on April 5 and I have often noticed those spells of depression on him. Last night, however, he seemed to be all right when we retired.

"About 4 o'clock this morning I was awakened by a choking sensation. The strong fumes of gas filled the room. I staggered to my feet, went to the windows, which were tightly closed, and threw them wide open. Then I found that two gas jets had been turned wide open. I closed these and ran to the bed and shook my husband and finally roused him.

"I asked him what he had done, what he meant. He said:

"'Let us die together—now is a good time.'

Not Ready to Die.

"I said, 'I am not ready to die yet.' He lay down again and was soon fast asleep as I thought. At 5 o'clock he got up, dressed and kissed me good bye, saying he was going to his work.

"I was so nervous that I could not sleep and reclined on a lounge until I was roused by seeing a big crowd of people rushing to the house. I went out into the hall and saw my husband lying on the steps at the foot of the first flight. I hope he will recover."

According to the police officer on the route, Swanson had trouble with his wife, whom he first met as an employment agency, where he went for a housekeeper. They were married the day after she came to see some for him. Swanson had $2,300 in the bank at the time, he told the officer, and his wife went through it. She was away from home a great deal, Swanson said, and yesterday he decided to break up housekeeping and go to live with a married daughter in Jamaica Plain. This was his fourth marriage.

TURNER GYMNASTICS, JORDAN HALL, MAY 20

The Boston Turn Verein, which is the oldest gymnastic society in this city, will give a gymnastic exhibition and show the pictures of the great gymnastic festival in Frankfort, Germany, on Thursday night at Jordan Hall. There are four films of pictures. There are 2,000 participants. It will be remembered that one of the big features at this festival was donated by William Randolph Hearst. Pictures of the activities of turners with the American team in the lead is one of the first pictures and is a part of the first film.

Who Is Responsible?

ALMOST daily atrocities, accentuated by the murder of Petrosino, demand action against the "Black Hand." But what is the "Black Hand?" Who controls it? Who are its agents?

The facts set forth in the June COSMOPOLITAN are furnished by the man who, now that Petrosino is dead, knows more about this "society" than any other living man. In fact, he has taken up Petrosino's work and is now in Italy searching for the murderers.

It's a squalid story, divesting the "Black Hand" of all the glamor that imaginative persons have woven around it—and yet it's wonderfully interesting. You ought to read it today.

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'WATER CURE' GIVEN PIERCE FARM PATIENTS

Following new charges of brutality in the treatment of insane patients by attendants at the Pierce Farm, which are alleged to have included a new form of the "water cure," kicking and strapping of patients when they made age noise, a thorough investigation of conditions at the farm is begun to-day. The revelations came when Murdock MacGregor and Roderick MacKenzie, two farm attendants, were arraigned before Judge Schofield in the superior criminal court for sentence on their conviction of manslaughter in having caused the death of Richard F. Mitchell, a patient. After the court had listened for two hours to evidence in favor of the defendants, Judge Schofield called on District Attorney Hill, and the prosecuting officer asked permission to introduce evidence not competent at the trial of the attendants.

Then he sprung a sensation by offering evidence which he announced had been given to him by Captain Dugan of the police, who obtained it from Edgar L. Clark, an attendant at Pierce Farm who figured in the investigation preliminary to the trial of MacGregor and MacKenzie.

Patient Held Under Water.

One of the most startling of Clark's statements was regarding a new form of "water cure" which Clark said MacGregor and MacKenzie administered to a patient because the patient was a little slow to bathing.

Clark's statement read: "I saw MacGregor and MacKenzie have a patient in the bath room. The patient was a little might slow to bathing and they held him under water until I thought myself the patient would drown. Then they took him out of the bath and he could not dress himself he was so weak from being under the water. And then they kicked him.

Clark said the patient's name is McKennan and that he is now in ward four at the farm. "The attendant in ward four told me yesterday," said Clark to Captain Dugan, "that when he was brought in Mr. Hill said 'Drown and blue.'"

From the statement given by Clark to Captain Dugan:

Clark said that he and MacGregor had discussed the method of treating patients and Clark said that he and I never could agree on the way to govern a ward.

Q.—What are his (MacGregor's) views with reference to that? A.—Well, that every patient if he should speak to them should stop their noise regardless of what kind of a patient they were, and if not, he would put them his feet or knee. If a fellow called him a name he would as soon take and give him a kick in the stomach as not.

Saw Patients Strapped.

Q.—His idea was to be severe? A.—His idea was to be severe and there were times I saw him take a strap and strike them.

Q.—Do you know who they were; do you recall who they were? A.—I saw Frank Heath strapped.

Q.—How many times? A.—Two times.

Q.—What was the strap? A.—The strap we use to put around the patient to strap the wristers on.

Q.—Five or six feet long? A.—About four or five long.

Q.—Where did he use the strap? A.—Anywhere he could hit him, but he was of course careful not to hit him on the head where it would show.

There was a colored fellow brought there last morning. I do not know his name. He was put in one of the rooms. I saw MacGregor go into the room and after that I saw him taken out of the ward and because he would not come he was kicked and jumped on until he had to be put in the bath tub to be brought to.

Q.—Was there any other case? A.—I saw a fellow named Wood brought in now in ward eight. He is a very aggressive, excitable anyway, and he was also knocked down and MacGregor and MacKenzie jumped on him and kicked him all around the floor.

Following the reading of the evidence Judge Schofield gave Attorney Jesse Gove, representing the defendants, the right to offer evidence in contradiction. MacGregor and MacKenzie were called to the witness stand and denied the truth of the statements.

Lawyer Gove then asked that he be given more time to investigate the Clark statements and the case was adjourned to next Thursday at 4 P. M.

SON OF PRESIDENT GOES UNDER KNIFE

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Charlie Taft, the eleven-year-old son of the President, went under the surgeon's knife in the Episcopal Eye and Ear Hospital here. The young man has lost part of his nasals through the operation, and a portion of his larynx has been eliminated, both of which facts conduce to his comfort.

Charlie is home on forced vacation on account of sickness in the school he was attending in Waterbury, Ct. He had been troubled with his throat for some time, and it was suggested at a family council that a physician be consulted.

Charlie is a boy of quiet, but thoroughly manliness, and having learned the identity of the physician recommended by his father, made the rest of the arrangements himself. He visited the surgeon, was examined, and agreed to the date and place for the operation.

CITY EMPLOYE DEAD; SKULL FRACTURED

Draftsmen William Murray, Timothy Myron and Thomas Edes, stationed at the Dover street bridge, early to-day found the dead body of Miles Byrne, sixty years old, an employe of the street cleaning department of the South End Yards on Albany street, lying at the end of the pier with a fractured skull. It had been Byrne's custom to take his lunch under the bridge. It is believed that while stooping over he lost his balance or sustained a shock. Byrne, who was married, lived in the rear of No. 60 Carson street, South Boston.

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MISS SYLVA, WHO PREFERS OPERA STAGE TO HOME

PRIMA DONNA QUITS HUSBAND FOR THE STAGE

PARIS, May 18.—Because she prefers the glory of an operatic career to the culinery joys of domestic life, Marguerite Sylva, a prima donna who was much applauded in America, has separated from her husband, William D. Mann, formerly manager of the Herald Square Theatre in New York. They separate by agreement and remain very good friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann have been in Paris several years. Soon after they arrived here Mrs. Mann was engaged for the Opera Comique, a theatre subsidized by the government, where many American women have sung. Mrs. Mann appeared as Carmen at the Opera Comique for two seasons and won much fame throughout France for her rendition of that role, and of Santuzza in "Cavalleria Rusticana."

Mr. Mann went into the automobile business and into insurance here a year ago, and has been very successful.

The wife went on a tour of the French provinces last season. He wearied of her absence, and, prospering in business, told her so on her return. That is now done with theatrical life and wished her to settle down and dwell with him most comfortably in Paris.

Marguerite Sylva refused to give up her career. Any possibility that she might yield to her husband's yearnings for a quiet, domestic life disappeared after Count Hammerstein came here recently, for Miss Sylva expects to return to America and sing at the Manhattan Opera House.

GOVERNOR HUGHES' SON IS VERY SICK

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 18.—Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., son of Governor Hughes of New York, is seriously ill in a Brown University ward of the Rhode Island hospital. He has a very high fever, and Dr. Fitton, the attending physician, he says, unable to determine the exact nature of his illness.

A wire was sent to the Hughes home late last night, and Mrs. Hughes arrived early to-day and went at once to the bedside of her son. To a friend she appeared very nervous. She said:

"I shall remain here as long as my son is ill. I am very anxious about him."

Young Hughes had been confined to his room in the Delta Upsilon fraternity house on Waterman street, since last Saturday, with what was supposed to be an attack of tonsilitis. Yesterday he appeared much improved, but toward night was seized with a sudden relapse, so serious that it was considered best to remove him to the hospital, where he could be constantly under the care of a physician.

BREAKS IN DOOR TO ATTACK PRIEST

DES MOINES, Ia., May 18.—Father J. A. Murray, pastor of St. Patrick's Church at Clinton, was attacked in his residence early to-day by a man who broke in the door with a hatchet. The housekeeper, aroused by the noise, shouted for help while the man was smashing in the door of the priest's bedroom. Neighbors arrived to see the stranger disappear through a window. A number pursued him, but he escaped.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Czar Frees Stoessel and Nebogatoff.

ST. PETERSBURG—General Stoessel and Vice-Admiral Nebogatoff were released by the Czar's command from confinement in prison to-day. Both were confined in a fortress, and General Stoessel had been in poor health for months. Stoessel and Nebogatoff were condemned to death by court-martial for surrendering the fleet and army in Russia's war with Japan. Stoessel was convicted for giving up Port Arthur and Nebogatoff for striking his flag in the battle of Japan Sea. The Czar commuted the sentences to imprisonment in a fortress for ten years. Nebogatoff has been in prison for more than two years. Stoessel has served a term of a little more than a year. They occupied adjoining rooms in the celebrated fortress of Saints Peter and Paul.

A few weeks ago the Czar rejected Stoessel's petition for a full pardon and the General was stricken with apoplexy.

Income Tax Passes.

LONDON—The House of Commons has passed by a vote of 299 to 96 the budget's imposition of a 2s cent tax on unearned incomes and on incomes exceeding $15,000, also a super tax of 12 cents upon incomes exceedings $25,000, levied on a sliding scale by which they exceed $15,000. Premier Asquith challenged the bankers to find a way that would be most equitable and injurious to the country's trade. The Premier foreshadowed a further increase in the income tax, which he now regarded as a permanent part of the fiscal machinery.

Death of George Meredith.

LONDON—George Meredith, who died today at the age of 81, was a novelist who was revered the world over. He was often called Great Britain's greatest man of letters. On his birthday anniversary last year, glowing tributes of love and admiration were paid Mr. Meredith by the whole British press. Showers of congratulations arrived, including Charles Eliot Norton's address from America, and from the French Academy. Mr. Meredith expired at his home in the outskirts of London, Box Hill, where Box Hill, where he had resided since his second wife died in 1885.

Gets Roosevelt's Name.

MESSINA—The first child to be born in one of the little villages constructed by American carpenters out of lumber shipped by the American government for the earthquake was christened Theodore Roosevelt Purstuve.

Chinese Defeat Japan.

TOKIO—Japan has been forced to give in to China, which furnishes conclusive proof of ownership of the Pratas Islands. The wife went on a tour of the French provinces last season. He wearied of her absence, and, prospering in business, told her so on her return that is now done with theatrical life and wished her to settle down and dwell with him most comfortably in Paris.

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Destroyers in Collision.

ROME—The torpedo destroyers Alcione and Atrone collided to-day off Brindisi, during manoeuvres and both vessels were badly damaged. No lives were lost.

Joy Rides in the Air.

BERLIN—The Zeppelin Airship Company, which is to establish an airship line, will maintain the line for pleasure riding. Each airship will carry twenty passengers and will make seven hour trips over Lake Lucerne and around the Rigis.

Mrs. Stirling on Stage Again.

LONDON—Mrs. John Alexander Stirling (formerly Clara Taylor), whose appeal from the decree of divorce granted her husband is pending in Edinburgh, has reappeared on the stage as a dancing girl. Splendidly gowned she attracted much attention. She explained that she had to return to the stage to earn a living.

Abruzzi in Good Health.

ROME—The Duke of the Abruzzi, according to the latest advices from Italia in the best of health and spirits, and the expedition has moved toward the interior without an accident of consequence. The caravan, including 250 bearers, when last heard from was encamped on the far side of the snow covered pass of Zojila.

Railroaders to Join Strike.

PARIS—A more threatening aspect was put upon the strike situation to-day by the action of the federal committee of the General Confederation of Labor today in favor of a general strike of the postal employes. The authorities have made active plans to cope with violence.

"UNCLE JOE" IN ICE CREAM GARB

WASHINGTON, May 18.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon turned up in the House hall to-day with a suit of ice-cream clothes. He wore a little pink necktie and a negligee shirt. He left his usher in the Speaker's office before he took up the gavel. The Speaker's new suit seemed to be his only clothing. Hardly had the House got under way than Representative Higginbotham asked unanimous consent for the reprint of a bill. He wanted 500 copies. Speaker Cannon put to the folding room and 250 to the document room.

"A Parliamentary inquiry," said Representative Fitzgerald. "Of course I think there won't be a copy for every member. There are 391 of us in this body."

"That doesn't seem to be a Parliamentary inquiry, but a mathematical inquiry," said Uncle Joe.

TURKS RENEW WAR ON ARMENIANS

ATHENS, May 18.—It is reported today from Adana that the anti-Christian element is sweeping everything before it. One hundred Armenians have been driven into prison and many are in coains. The Turkish officials are circulating pamphlets chiefly upon the Christians and attempting to saddle the blame for the disturbances on them, at the same time protecting the guilty.

GERTRUDE HOFFMAN GOING TO TURKEY

NEW YORK, May 18.—Miss Gertrude Hoffman, the dancer, and her husband, Max Hoffman, the musical director, will sail to-morrow on the Kronprinzessin Cecilie for Europe. Miss Hoffman will take her automobile with her. The dancer and her husband propose to tour in the motor from Paris to Constantinople. They expect to live for some time in the hitty city before returning to 50 an engagement in London.

FOXWELL TO FIGHT; HINTS NEW CHARGES

Sensational developments are expected to follow the arrival in this city from Washington of Charles L. Foxwell, under arrest at the instance of the Boston police and charged with having obtained thousands of dollars from prominent Boston people improperly.

Police inspector Joan Harris reached Washington to-day with extradition papers signed by Governor Draper. He will bring Foxwell here at once. Foxwell declared in Washington that he would come here and fight his accusers.

Following a protracted consultation with Foxwell Attorney James H. Hayden left for New York. It is assumed that he went to adjust certain business matters for his client and that he will then proceed to Boston.

Arrested on the charge of having obtained fraudulently $2,000 from the Growler Copper Company, Foxwell is alleged to have obtained anything from $30,000 up to $500,000 from patrons.

George Otis Draper, the nephew of Governor Draper, and an enthusiastic young financier, invested with him $12,500. Others whose names have not been discovered, it is said, will prove a great surprise when they are made public.

Promises Sensation.

A dispatch from Washington to the AMERICAN to-day quotes the prisoner as follows:

"When I have been tried in Boston courts I will call the newspaper men and give my side of the case. People who invest money for others are often misjudged. If a man gives $1,000 to invest and you return him $1,500 he calls you a financial king. If you lose his $1,000, together with a goodly sum of your own, he assumes a different attitude.

"I don't like the personal reference to my family affairs. The newspapers have discussed my wife's visits, etc. I can't see where any importance deserves upon this phase of the case. Mrs. Foxwell is very sensitive. She is an exquisite little woman and I dislike to have her annoyed."

Captain Foxwell was asked if his wife is of a titled family. Mrs. Foxwell having been referred to as "Lady Alice."

"There are ample grounds for the charge switched off on another topic."

Wife Millionaire's Daughter.

There is also a persistent rumor in police circles that Mrs. Foxwell, who was known in New York as "Lady Alice," is the daughter of a Manhattan millionaire, one who has been constantly in the public eye for the past few years. But Mrs. Foxwell is discreetly silent, refusing to discuss her husband's affairs in any way.

Foxwell himself is one of the most baffling prisoners the Washington police ever handled. Their "third degree" for him resorted in Foxwell putting the police themselves through a string of questions which turned the intended quiz into a farce. When the Washington detectives were finished with their talk they were pretty nearly "finished" in self-possession, too.

The substance of the prisoner is also shown by the statement of Treasurer Moseley of the Growler Mining Company that, when Foxwell was arrested, he naively put out because his dinner was so interrupted.

Charges Misrepresentation.

It is charged by Moseley that Fowler obtained $7,000 in all from him through misrepresenting himself as an accredited agent of the Societe Generale of Paris. Foxwell, according to Moseley, agreed to place a bond issue of $2,500,000 of the Growler Company with the Societe Generale for a commission of $12,500.

When the strength of this Foxwell, so Moseley says, received an advance commission of $5,000, a further one of $2,000 and a final one of $2,000.

Later it is charged, the Societe Generale of Paris cabled an utter repudiation of Foxwell.

Mr. Moseley also declares Foxwell secured funds from other parties through these same representations, including one in the above-quoted list.

Foxwell stood well in his lodgings when he was in this city, however, according to one of his former landladies.

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¶They build up the blood, strengthen the nerves and give energy and vitality to weak, exhausted, discouraged men and women.

¶Safe and harmless, too; not a bit of opiate, narcotic or habit-forming drug in them.

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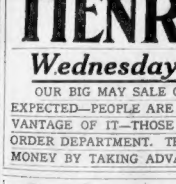

$1.25 Canoe and Sofa Pillows, each, 50c

Pillows covered with pretty Tapestry, Art Cretonne, Ticking and Taffeta, large size, suitable for your canoe or sofa, value up to $1.25. (Like cut.) Each..... 50c

$1.50 Grenadine Curtains 95c

200 Pairs Pretty Colored Cross Stripe Grenadine Curtains, heavy fringe on bottom. Actual regular price $1.50. Pair..... 95c

Corded Arabe Curtains.....
Cotton Cluny Curtains.....
White Irish Point Curtains.....
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Dinner Ware for Summer Cottages

This $7.50 Dinner Set $4.87

56 pieces—service for 6—same grade with 112 pieces sells for $15.00. Pink rosebud with gold tracing; green spray with gold tracing; pink thistle with gold tracing.

6 TEA PLATES, 6 BREAKFAST PLATES, 6 DINNER PLATES, 8 SOUP PLATES, 8 CUPS, 8 SAUCERS, 1 INDIVIDUAL BUTTERS, 6 PRESERVE SAUCERS, 1 MEAT DISH 12in., MEAT DISH 14in., 1 SAUCE BOAT, 1 BOWL, 1 COVERED VEGETABLE DISH, 1 BAKER, 1 JUG

White and Gold Initial Dinner Set

Sale Price $7.98

$20.00 Dinner Set

Austrian China Set of 100 pieces, large size platter; green spray with pink flower design. Set..... $12.87

60c Dox. Plain Blown Glass Tumblers for 36c. Doz.

Full half pint size plain blown glass water tumblers, exactly the grade and size other stores are selling today at 60c the dozen. We will offer them at this sale for, dozen..... 36c

112-Piece White Porcelain, every piece initialed, with gold wreath; value $15.00. Sale price, set..... $7.98

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Four different patterns, will fit 4-inch gas ring, imitation cut glass and frosted effects. Special..... 9c

130-Piece Dinner Set. Regular $25.00, for..... $15.00

Choice of either American Porcelain or German China. Pink Rose decorations.

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American Sugar Company's finest granulated sugar, when purchased with $1.50's worth of groceries, exclusive of smoked meats. 20 lbs..... 99c

Armour's Ham

Armour's selected, well cured, nicely smoked ham, all U. S. inspected, per lb..... 13½c

50c Worth Quaker Rolled Oats 32c

Fresh from the Quaker Oats Co.'s mills; never sold at less than 5c per lb; special, 10 lbs..... 32c

Refugee Beans

Put up by the Green Mountain Packing Company, tender and good eating; doz cans $1.05 each..... 9c

Potatoes

Fancy Green Mountain potatoes, special, per peck..... 30c

12c Valliant Brand Tomatoes 8c

A fancy southern pack; large, whole tomatoes, 12c quality; per can 2 doz. $1.85, per doz. 90c, can..... 8c

10c Winstead Brand Sweet Corn 7½c

Choice quality, grown and packed in New York State, well filled cans, worth 10c; special sale 2 doz. $1.75, per doz. 90c, can..... 7½c

Coffees

Hores, a combination of rare Old Mountain Coffees, roasted fresh daily, put up in air tight canisters, ground to order, 3 lbs. for 3 lb. can $1.65, 2 lb. can 70c, per lb..... 35c

Apple Juice

Duffy's 1842 sparkling sterilized, very delicious beverage, doz. quart bottles $4.00, per bottle 35c, pint bottles, doz. $2.25, per bottle 20c, ½ pt. bottles $1.75 doz., per bottle 15c. One bottle free with each ½ doz. of one purchased..... 15c

Teas

Princess, the fig package of India and Ceylon teas, rich, delicate aroma, put up in air tight cans; Red Label, per lb 60c, ½ lb. 30c, ¼ lb. 15c; Green Label, per lb. 40c, ½ lb. 20c, ¼ lb. 10c..... 22c

15c Cleaned Currants 12c

Hazel brand, absolutely free from stems, ready for immediate use; regular price 15c per pkg. special doz. pkgs $1.40, per pkg..... 12c

Pears

Bay Rides brand, a choice Southern fruit, put up in pure sugar syrup. No. 3 cans, our special case 2 doz. $2.75, doz. $1.45, can..... 12c

Pure Honey

Falcon brand, nothing finer on the market, large bottle..... 23c

Pineapple

Sliced Hawaiian brand, extra tender and high flavored fruit, packed with heavy syrup; doz. No. 2½ cans $3.25, per can..... 28c

Proctor & Gamble's Specials

Celebrated Ivory Soap, 6 cakes per box 100 cakes $2.35, per box..... 34c

Naptha Soap, 100 cakes $4.25, 10 cakes..... 45c

Star Naptha Powder, 16 oz. pkg 5c, 4 lb. pkg..... 19c

Smoked Sardines

Rainbow brand, packed in Nobrand, put up in pure Olive Oil; key opener, 1 lb. can 15c, ½ lb. can 8c, ¼ lb. can..... 15c

Borax

Eagle brand, for toilet, household and laundry use, 1 lb. pkg 5c; ½ lb. 3c, ¼ lb. 2c..... 5c

Hazel Brand Flour

The finest premium patent, made from Spring Wheat, guaranteed to make delicious flavored bread, every sack, per barrel $7.00, ½ sack..... 95c

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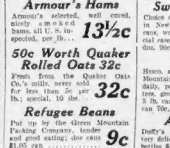

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Lift-cover style like cut.

No. 2—25 inches high, 25 inches wide, 38 inches high, capacity 75 lbs. of ice. Value $7.50. Sale price..... $5.98

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88 Ice Chest, handsome oak finish, holds 100 lbs. of ice, 30 inches long, 20 inches high, 21 deep..... $5.95

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Cabinet Enclosed Wicker less Blue Flame Oil Cooking Stoves, cabinet frame, two burners. Special at..... $2.98

50c Hardwood Floor Mops, the newest kind, antiseptic, germ destroying..... 35c

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Sizes of 100 ft.	Price, roll
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28-in.	$4.00
34-in.	$4.25
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6-line..... $2.25
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CARDINALS AND DOVES IN BATTLE AGAIN TO-DAY

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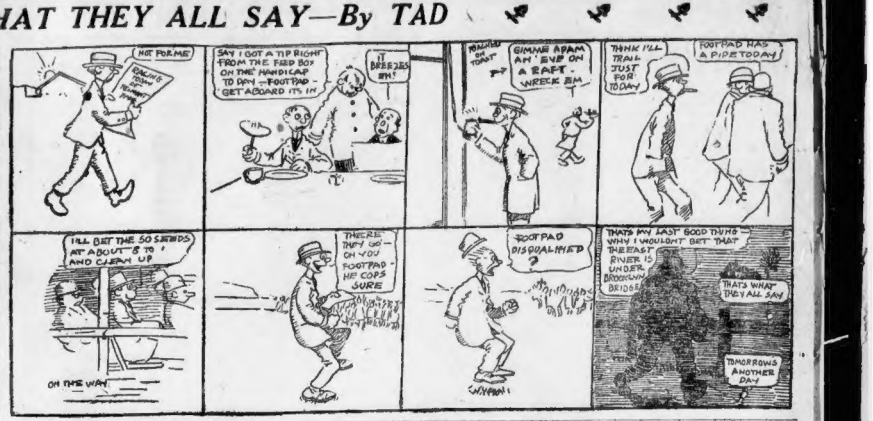
NOT FOR ME!
SAY I GOT A TIP RIGHT FROM THE FEED BOX ON THE HANDICAP TO BOX —FOUR TWO — GET ABOARD ITS IN
I DRESSES 8TH!
GIMME ADAM AN' EVE ON A RAFT. I WRECK EM
THINK I'LL TRAIL JUST FOR TODAY
FOOTPAD HAS A PIPE TODAY
I'LL BET THE 50 SKIDS AT ABOUT 5 TO 1 AND CLEAN UP
THERE THEY GO— OH YOU FOOTPAD— HE COPS SURE
FOOTPAD DISQUALIFIED?
THAT'S MY LAST GOOD THING— WHY I WOULDN'T BET THAT THE EAST RIVER IS UNDER BROOKLYN BRIDGE!
THAT'S WHAT THEY ALL SAY
TOMORROWS ANOTHER DAY
ON THE WAY
WHAM!

BILL DAHLEN LAID OFF BY BOWERMAN

"Little Nemo" Bill Dahlen got the book to-day and will not ornament the Doves' line-up again probably until he gets over "that tired feeling."

Bowerman placed Starr at shortstop and Ritchey on second base.

Although the shakeup in the Doves' batting order yesterday did not result in any tangible good, due chiefly to the class of ball pitched by Rube Lush person, who occupied the central position for the visitors, Bowerman says the way his men are hitting forced the change.

The fall down of the Doves is due chiefly to the poor work of the pitchers, all of whom have been as wild as the proverbial hawk at times when control was most essential. The big manager has been expressing himself pretty plainly to the Doves' players in the past few days, and unless there is a radical improvement in the work of one or more of them, some surprising changes will likely be made.

One of the worst offenders, in the estimation of the fans, is "Bad Bill" Dahlen, whose listlessness during the past week has been so flagrant that some wight in the grandstand yesterday dubbed him "Little Nemo," which appeared to fit him so well with the shortstop's ennui that the sobriquet bids fair to be generally adopted.

When not troubled with that tired feeling Dahlen is one of the best shortstops in the game, but the fans are growing weary watching him loaf back for a ball when he should come up to meet it.

Another serious objection they have to "Little Nemo" is his evident disinclination to untrack himself and get over to the third bag when there is a runner on second and Sweeney goes in to field a bunt.

It is a good ways over to third sack from the shortstop's usual working spot, and besides that he would have to walk all the way back. So, what's the use, as Mutt would say.

ED WALSH RACES TO DYING BROTHER

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 18.—Ed Walsh, star pitcher of the Chicago White Sox, and Martin Walsh, pitcher for the Pueblo team, are rushing eastward in a race with death in an effort to reach this city in time to see their brother David before he dies from injuries received in a mine accident. They are expected to-night or early to-morrow morning.

Notes of the Doves' Game.

Three straight losing sessions. Six out of the last seven games have gone against the Doves.

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Pretty lucky to escape the whitewash brush.

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Who is to blame for that loss? Mostly Mr. Lush, St. Louis's pitcher.

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The game was a change from the last few, for it lasted one hour and forty-five minutes, while the recent contests have been over the two-hour mark.

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Manager Bresnahan made a change in the batting order of his team, Rudy Hulswitt was moved up from eighth place to seventh and Charles was put in Rudy's place.

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Dorner is not exceedingly spry at fielding his position, as the third inning has allowed a bunt to roll safely and three hits wild to Beck, an unlucky bunt, and too all this off, he failed to cover the plate when Bowerman was busy running Byrne down. This did not cost a run, for "Biz Mike" and Starr managed to catch Byrne.

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Beck, at first base, had his first putout in the fourth inning.

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Shaw gave the bugs a scare by knocking a foul over the right field fence which took some mighty fine judging on the part of the umpire.

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Evans robbed Bates of what looked like a sure double by a great catch in the neighborhood of his shoes.

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Evans, in the eighth inning, rapped out several long fouls and then dropped one over the left field fence for a home run. This is the third made at the South End grounds this year.

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Stem batted for Dorner in the eighth, but his best was a strikeout.

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Ellis, out of three times at bat, got two hits, each one being good for two bases.

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Umpires Hank O'Day and Bob Emslie replaced Johnstone and Connolly, who have been here since the Doves returned on May 5.

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Pitcher Lush, while twirling a great game, got one hit out of two attempts and scored one run.

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The Doves pulled off two fast double plays, while the Cardinals are credited with one.

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Not many fans journeyed to the grounds for the weather was threatening. The few who did go witnessed a exciting exhibition until the sixth inning, when Mr. Dorner took an ascension. Up to this time only one hit had been made off each pitcher.

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Tuckey, who has not pitched a game in Boston this season, was sent in after the last seven games have gone against the Doves.

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After Evans had rapped the cover off the ball, getting a home run, and Ellis had walloped to the right field fence for two bases in the eighth, Bowerman let Dorner decorate the bench.

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Bates was hit on the elbow with a pitched ball in the third inning.

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Dahlen is useful for one thing, he can get on the bases a good number of times. He is a good waiter and can draw four balls quite regularly.

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Beck, whose batting is all that has kept him from being a wonder at first, got on twice yesterday, once by an error and again by a free ticket.

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Dorner was not hit particularly hard, as the visitors got but seven safeties. What hits they did get came in bunches and just after a few bases on balls.

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Bresnahan stole two bases and got to first three times.

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Bowerman was hit on the kneecap with a foul ball and was forced to do a little limping. He did not leave the game.

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Bullet Jack Thoney, Manzig, Joe Wood and Catcher Madden, all members of the Red Sox, witnessed the game from the grand stand.

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Dan McDonald, a young pitcher from Medford, is practising in the mornings with the Doves. Manager Frank Bowerman says that he is not giving the youngster a tryout with the idea to giving a berth with the Doves.

VOLKMANN ROWS STONE CREW TO-DAY

The Charles will be the scene of an interesting boat race late this afternoon when the eight-oared crews of Brookline High and Stone schools hook up together.

The race will start at 3:15 o'clock, owing to the fact that Stone and Volkmann meet in the second scheduled baseball game at 3 o'clock. The crews will row as follows:

Brookline High—Capt. Nicolls, spoker; Kuhn, 7; Bridges, Cobble, 5; Sullivan, 4; Bent, 3; Bentley, Cobble, bow; Burgess, coxswain.

Stone School—Nickerson, stroke; Haynes, 7; Wilson, 6; Carr, Keegan, 5; Farnsworth, 4; Bradley, 3; Plimpton, 2; Newton, bow; Burleigh, coxswain.

HAS TROTTING STAR.

Douglas Thomas of Paris, Ky., is about due to spring another one of his sensations, and it is said that he has one in hand in the young mare Pennora, 2:18¾.

Standing, Results and To-day's Play in Five Baseball Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsburg	12	5	.706	BOSTON	11	15	.458
Chicago	12	12	.571	Brooklyn	11	13	.458
Phila	12	11	.522	New York	10	13	.435
Cincinnati	11	11	.500	St. Louis	12	17	.414

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 4 1 1 0	6	1
Doran	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0	2	3
Batteries—Lush and Bresnahan; Dorner, Tuckey and Rowe[mad].			
Chicago	1 0 1 0 0 3 1 2 0	8	0
Phillies	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	1
Batteries—Brown and Archer; Corridell, Foxen and Dooin.			
Cincinnati	0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 0	5	1
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	1
Batteries—Ewing and Gibson; Phillippi and Bergen.			
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	1
New York	0 0 2 1 1 0 0 0 0	4	1
Batteries—Rowan and McLean; Matthewson and Meyers.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Detroit	15	6	.714	Chicago	9	12	.429
BOSTON	14	8	.636	St. Louis	11	14	.440
New York	14	9	.609	Cleveland	9	15	.375
Phila	13	9	.591	Washington	10	17	.370

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Boston at Detroit. New York at Cleveland.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

	R.	H.	E.
Red Sox	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	3	0
Detroit	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 x	3	0
Batteries—Bedient and Spencer; Killian and Stanage.			
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	5
St. Louis	0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 x	4	8
Batteries—Groome and Street; Pelty and Clarke.			
Yanks	0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	6
Cleveland	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1	2	5
Batteries—Lake and Kleinow; Berger and Easterly.			
Athletics	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	7
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	5
Batteries—Krause and Thomas; Scott and Sullivan.			

EASTERN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester	8	4	.667	Buffalo	6	10	.444
Providence	8	5	.615	Toronto	5	9	.357
Jersey City	8	6	.600	Baltimore	3	10	.375
Montreal	7	6	.538	Newark	3	9	.250

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Baltimore at Rochester. Newark at Buffalo.
Jersey City at Montreal.
Toronto at Providence.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

	R.	H.	E.
Providence	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0	3	7
Toronto	0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 x	4	7
Batteries—Shaw and Fitzgerald; McGinley and Mitchell.			
Newark	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	3
Buffalo	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 x	0	6
Batteries—Moeller and Krichell; Kissinger and Brair.			
Baltimore	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	5
Rochester	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	1	7
Batteries—Dennis and Byers; Simmons and Erwin.			

Jersey City-Montreal—Wet grounds.

N. E. LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Haverhill	10	5	.667	Brockton	7	8	.500
Lynn	10	5	.667	Lawrence	7	11	.389
Fall River	10	5	.556	Worcester	5	13	.278

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Lawrence at Brockton.
Worcester at Haverhill.
Lynn at Lowell.
Fall River at New Bedford.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

	R.	H.	E.
Lawrence	0 0 4 0 0 0 1 1 0	6	5
Brockton	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	1	3
Batteries—Mayhelm and Millerick; Cutting and Medlorgen.			
Fall River	0 0 0 1 0 3 0 4 0	8	0
New Bedford	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 1 0	4	0
Batteries—Wood and Fischer; Hallman and Ulrich.			
Lowell	1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0	3	6
Lynn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3	3	1
Batteries—Duval and Boyle; Abbott and Deane.			
Worcester	4 0 0 0 4 1 3 0 1	13	21
Haverhill	0 0 2 3 0 0 0 2 0	7	7
Batteries—Wilson and McCann; Lessard and Perkins.			

CONN. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Hartford	13	5	.722	Bridgeport	7	9	.438
N. Britain	9	7	.562	Waterbury	6	9	.400
Springfield	8	7	.533	New Haven	6	10	.375
Holyoke	8	7	.533	Northampton	5	10	.333

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Bridgeport at Springfield.
Holyoke at Hartford.
Northampton at New Britain.
Waterbury at New Haven.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Springfield 8, New Haven 5.
New Britain-Hartford—Rain.
Northampton-Bridgeport—Rain.
Waterbury-Holyoke—Wet grounds.

BATTING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Wolter	87	9	31	7	0	0	.356
Hooper	74	9	24	1	0	0	.324
Carrigan	61	13	26	6	1	0	.426
Speaker	86	15	28	6	1	0	.326
Hoblitzell	3	2	1	0	0	0	.333
Scoville	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Lord	83	15	29	6	2	0	.349
Yerkes	82	15	29	6	2	0	.354
McConnell	70	4	18	4	0	0	.257
Niles	70	9	16	3	0	0	.229
Gainor	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Hendrix	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Ayers	13	2	2	0	0	0	.154
Arellanes	13	2	2	0	0	0	.154
Thomas	42	5	10	2	0	0	.238
Hancock	10	0	1	0	0	0	.100
Agnew	19	0	1	0	0	0	.053
Cheek	20	1	1	0	0	0	.050
Totals	717	91	192	26	6	0	.268

NATIONAL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Chapelle	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Starr	52	4	20	1	0	0	.385
Raymond	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Bates	61	12	22	4	0	0	.361
Dorner	7	0	1	0	0	0	.143
Dahlen	86	15	21	3	1	0	.244
Ritchey	87	11	27	4	1	0	.310
Wallace	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Shaw	86	11	27	4	1	0	.314
Stanton	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Beck	92	12	31	7	1	0	.337
Evans	92	17	31	7	1	0	.337
Ellis	3	0	2	0	0	0	.667
Gaskell	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Rudolph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Bowerman	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Smith	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Manzig	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Strehlau	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Lush	2	0	1	0	0	0	.500
Tuckey	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	198	19	194	30	7	0	.300

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL SCHEDULE

COLLEGE.

Rochester University vs. New York University at New York.
Carlisle vs. Eastern College at Carlisle.

SCHOOL.

English High vs. Brookline High at Brookline.
Noble & Greenough vs. Roxbury Latin at American League grounds.
Stone vs. Volkmann at Volkmann Field, Allston.
Mass. Normal Art vs. Wellesley High at Wellesley.
Boston College High vs. Malden & Mohigand at Mass. avenue grounds.
Boston High vs. Waltham High at Newtonville.
Dean Second vs. Harvard Second at Cambridge.
Hyde Park High vs. Milton High at Hyde Park (League).
Melrose High vs. Cambridge Latin at Melrose.
Plymouth High vs. Brockton High at Plymouth.
Haverhill High vs. Lawrence High at Haverhill.
Pinehurst High vs. Johnson High at Andover.
Pinkerton Academy vs. Concord High at Derry, N. H.
Rockland High vs. Whitman High at Rockland.

FAST GREEN MARE.

Among the green trotting mares in training in California is one called Hulda 17, that is out of the famous race mare Hulda, 2:08¼. She is by Dexter Prince, sire of Elvata, 2:08½, etc.

CORBETT REPORTS BOUT TO-NIGHT AT THE ARMORY A. A. FOR THE AMERICAN

James J. Corbett, former champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, and generally conceded to be the cleverest boxer that ever stepped into the ring, will report the boxing match at the Armory A. A. to-night for the BOSTON AMERICAN.

While the bout is not an important one in the boxing world, both of the men are exceptionally clever, and local patrons of the sport predict that it will be one of the most interesting contests held in Boston for some time.

The main bout is between Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee, who holds the title of the champion of the Middle West, and Tommy Quill of Brockton, who is one of the fastest welterweights about Boston.

Clabby is hailed throughout the West and South as a coming champion, and the fact that the youngster won a twenty-round go with Jimmy Gardner, the crack Lowell boxer, makes his stock look exceptionally good.

Winner to Meet Gardner.

The winner of to-night's bout is to be matched with Gardner for a meeting in Boston in the near future, and as both of the boys are anxious for a go with the Lowell man, the bout is attracting considerable attention and many members of the club will be in attendance.

Both boys have done some hard training for the bout and are in fine trim for the strenuous engagement with the mitts which is on the card to-night.

Save as Clabby is that he will win in decisive fashion over the Brocktonite, the latter feels very confident that the referee's verdict will be awarded him when the last gong sounds.

Corbett, who is playing at the Orpheum this week, said last night in his dressing room:

"I have never seen either of the boys box, but I am told both of them are clever, and I always like to see clever youngsters at work. The average patron of the sport prefers to see the heavyweights in action, but fast work by a couple of speedy youngsters always makes a bout well worth seeing, and from what I have been told of these boys I expect to have a good evening's entertainment.

Will Give Own Version.

"I am sorry I will not be able to get to the Armory Club in time for the preliminaries, but I will have to content myself with the main bout, as I do not get through with my act at the theatre in time to see it all.

"I shall write an account of the bout for the AMERICAN, and while I have every regard in the world for the decision of a referee, I will describe the work of the boys just as I see it, whether my idea of merit coincides with that of the third man in the ring or not.

STATION MEN PLAY EXCITING BALL GAME

The Station 6 and station 1 teams of South Boston played this morning, and the game was one of the old-time beer drinking affairs. The two clubs played nip and tuck for eight and one-half innings, and in the last half of the ninth a discussion arose over a decision of the umpire. The score up to this time was 13 to 10 in favor of Station 6, but by the forfeit by Station 1 the other team won, 9 to 0.

The batteries were: Station 1, Flaven, Laskey, Lorain and Winslow; for Station 6, McCormick, Smith and Curley. Murphy's hitting was a feature, as he got two home runs.

BASEBALL RESULTS IN OTHER LEAGUES

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Columbus, 5; Milwaukee, 6.
Minneapolis, 4; Indianapolis, 0.
St. Paul, 6; Louisville, 2.
Kansas City, 7; Toledo, 4.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

New Orleans, 5; Montgomery, 1.
Little Rock, 3; Nashville, 6.
Birmingham, 1; Memphis, 1 (nine innings, called).

TROTTERS FOR EUROPE.

Otto Cushaway, Copenhagen, Denmark, has purchased for export two young mares by Wm. Wilkes, 2:11, one from Lady Alcy, 2:13, the other out of Minnie Wilkes,

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AW, WHAT'S THE USE? TEE-HEE!
MUTT GOT THE HOOK AGAIN TODAY BUT HE'S A GAME GUY AND WILL BE ON AT THE BOSTON TOMORROW. SURELY THING YOU KNOW

HARVARD HAS CHANCE TO WIN AT STADIUM

Harvard men think they have a chance to win the intercollegiate championship to be held at the Stadium on Friday and Saturday, May 28 and 29. There are five firsts possible and if three of these men should connect the rest of the team may pile up enough totals to just win the meet.

Foster is a possibility to win in the 100 and 220 yards dash, Jaquez in the one mile run, Merriken or De Selding in the quarter mile event, and Little in the shot put.

Besides Gardner, who gave Howe such a race in the low hurdles in the Yale-Harvard dual meet Saturday, is improving all the time and may capture first place in the flights over the low sticks.

Foster, who ran well enough Saturday to compete against any sprinter in the country, should connect with six points in the century and furious dashes or second place in each. There should be at least three points from second and fourth garnered in the quarter mile event.

Don't go up in the air too much about Herbert Jaques, she he should get at least second place in the one mile run. Those would be three additional points. Harwood or Pope ought to get one point in the high jump, either getting fourth place or tying.

In the broad jump Little or Long should get fourth, another point, and Carr ought to be good enough for another point, for fourth, in the pole vault.

Little is really good enough to win the shot put, but put him down in the list for second. There are three more points. In the high hurdles Captain Rand should be a point winner to the tune of fourth place and Howe looks good enough in the low hurdles for second, three points more or four points in the two limber tossing events.

The total is 21, with chances extremely bright of improving two more in the sprints, two more in the 440, two more in the mile and two more in the shot put. Those would increase the total to 29 which would be just about enough to win.

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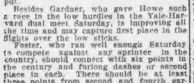

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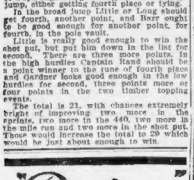

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O'BRIEN READY FOR FAST BOUT WITH JOHNSON

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—"Never in my life did I sit any time feel better or more fitted to fight than I do at this moment."

This was the statement made by Jack O'Brien, who will to-morrow night try to lower the colors of Jack Johnson when they meet before the National A. C.

Jack had just returned from a six-mile jaunt along the roads and was busy punching the bag at the King of Prussia Inn, when he was greeted by a reporter.

"Fine, I feel fine," said O'Brien, when asked how he was feeling. "I can truthfully state that I have trained for the Johnson fight harder than I ever trained before, and that is saying a whole lot. I am certain that my friends will have no kick coming as the result of my showing against the negro."

O'Brien looks the picture of health. He weighed 167 pounds to-day, at which weight he will probably enter the ring.

Johnson was tried out for speed and wind and was found to be not wanting. He is in pretty good condition—good enough to fight six fast rounds, in the judgment of no less a person than A. J. Drexel Biddle, the well-known Philadelphia society man, who is also something of a boxer, and who went to Merchantville, N. J., where Johnson is training, and tried out the conqueror of Tommy Burns in a short bout with gloves. The bout between the society man and the black pugilist lasted two short rounds, and, while full

Results of Boxing Bouts

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., May 18.—For lack of a punch Dick Nelson failed to put Young Corbett away at the American A. C. to-night. Nelson went the limit of 10 rounds in good condition Nelson was slim to hit the ex-champion at will, and if he had the punch he could have put his man away.

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BALTIMORE, May 18.—Peter Kline of Newark won from Kid Corbett of this city, by a knockout in the seventh round, before the Princess A. C. It was Kline's fight from start to finish. Corbett put up a good game battle, but was no match for the Newark lad in cleverness and generalship.

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PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—Terry Fitzgerald of West Philadelphia undertook the job of defeating two men in the ring of the West End A. C., but was successful in only one of the bouts. The men Terry fought were Hughie O'Brien and Joe Hagan. He won from Schaefer, but O'Brien was a little too much for him and was easily.

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COLUMBUS, O., May 18.—Mike Donovan of Rochester, N. Y., and "Kid" Abbott Ed Smith of Columbus met for the third time and Smith was declared the winner after six rounds of fast boxing. Smith opened up and forced the fighting in the sixth, giving him the shade. The crowd was dissatisfied with the decision and voted the bout a draw.

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NEW YORK, May 18.—Eddie Welsh of Brooklyn easily outclassed Young Corbett of Philadelphia in their ten-round bout at the Bedford A. C. in Brooklyn. Throughout the first eight rounds Welsh peeked over his man with left and right jabs and stiff uppercuts to the wind did much to weaken Corbett. After the bout the fighters and managers were arrested.

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MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 18.—Young Chopski fought an eight-round draw with Danny Goodman of Chicago before more than 4,000 persons at the Phoenix club. The decision of referee Redmond was greeted with hisses.

STERLING M'KINNEY TOUTED FOR STAKES

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 18.—D. D. Streeter, of Kalamazoo, was here to-day and was telling J. L. Dryden, of Bardstown, whom he met in the Phoenix Hotel, how well Sterling McKinney, 2:06½, is working for Geers.

"Mr. Geers, I think, believes this horse will be at the top of the party down the line this year," said Mr. Streeter.

"I'm horry to hear that," said Mr. Dryden, "not that I begrudge Mr. Geers success, but I am out after the stallion record this year. I have bought a mare for The Hanisman will stay right. He has not something wrong with him every year, but John Hussey thinks he is over his allments now and that we will get a chance in this good year 1909 to see just what sort of a trotter he is."

BOSTON BROKERS TO TACKLE NEW YORK

The Boston Stock Exchange baseball team will meet the New York Stock Brokers' team next Saturday afternoon on the American League ball grounds. There will be plenty of star work, for the members of both teams are ex-college players. The game will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

NORTH END TEAMS TO PLAY

The North End Unions and the West End House teams have arranged a series to be played at the American League grounds. The first game will be played Monday at 3 o'clock, the other dates to be determined later.

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JEFF SAYS BILL PAPKE WILL BE THE CHAMPION

By JAMES J. JEFFRIES.

I suppose it is up to me to use the time-honored phrase, "I told you so." But although I predicted that Papke would be the victor and that Kelly was unable to stand any extraordinary amount of punishment among the top heavies, I must confess that the speed with which the Kewanee lad brought the victory home was a bit surprising.

The proposition, however, is this; In comparing the relative merits of the two men we must begin with their weight. The weight of both Kelly and Papke is practically the same. Neither had any trouble making the required notch. Then we proceed with their other qualifications. Papke led with him, as I said before the contest, strength, youth, hitting power and speed, while Kelly had only ring generalship to lay against it.

Johnson was tried out for speed and wind and was found to be not wanting. He is in pretty good condition—good enough to fight six fast rounds, in the judgment of no less a person than A. J. Drexel Biddle, the well-known Philadelphia society man, who is also something of a boxer, and who went to Merchantville, N. J., where Johnson is training, and tried out the conqueror of Tommy Burns in a short bout with gloves. The bout between the society man and the black pugilist lasted two short rounds, and, while full

Papke, who has had many proposals submitted to him, would rather sign up with Ketchel than any of the others who are seeking his scalp. Ketchel, in a way, seems willing enough to accommodate the thunderbolt, but is taking pains to let Papke and the promoters know that young Ketchel is an exceedingly

None of your $6,000 offers for me," Ketchel is reported as saying. "I will want from $10,000 to $15,000 for my share." There were telegrams flying between Ketchel and interested parties in San Francisco yesterday, and it was said that Ketchel's last demand was for a side bet of $10,000.

When Papke heard this, he said: "I may be able to accommodate Ketchel in that little matter if other conditions as to purse and weight are satisfactory. I hardly think, though, that if we get down to business Ketchel will insist upon a wager of that magnitude."

If the match is made it will undoubtedly be handled by Tex Rickard, the local promoter, who will, of course, will depend on the outcome of negotiations begun by Tom McCarey of Los Angeles, for a July contest betgun Ketchel and Langford.

JEFF TRAINS WITH CHICAGO WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, May 18.—James J. Jeffries, retired undefeated champion, took part for the first time in baseball practice with the Chicago White Sox at their park, and after a strenuous morning bopped on the scales for the first time in public, balancing the beam at 250 pounds.

Jeff had been catching high balls and low ones, running out easy flies and then a double, and sprinting around the diamond until beads of perspiration were rolled off him, and when the scales banged up to 250 twenty pounds less than 250 the big boy was not altogether satisfied. He said he expected them to read not more than 238.

GOOD LUCK IS ALL M'ALEER WANTS NOW

Manager McAleer of the Browns was asked if there was any truth in the report that he had sent for J. Emmet Heidrick to help at the team.

"I should say not," replied McAleer, emphatically. He was also asked if he was angling for Jiggs Donohue, the White Sox first baseman.

"No, I'm not after him, either," said McAleer, "all I'm after is a little bit of fortune. The team is all right, but the luck has been against us."

BEACONS VICTORIOUS.

The Beacon A. C. defeated the Noble & Greenough team in a well-played game on Noble & Greenough field, the final count being 5 to 0. The Noble & Greenough boys were unfortunate in the field. The feature of the game was the pitching of Bernard of the Beacons, he allowing no hit and no runs to be scored against him. Tu Ford, Fennin and Minot excelled for the losers. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
N. & G.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Beacon A. C.	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	5	8	0

KETCHEL GETS HIGH PRICED; ASKS $15,000

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Billy Papke by his workmanlike handling of Hugo Kelly has placed himself full in the glare of the lime light once more, and sporting men who want the best the pugilistic markets affords and are willing to pay for it, are clamoring for a match with Papke on one end and Ketchel on the other.

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BOXING BITS OF NEWS

Sam Fitzpatrick picked up a bad money-maker for the boys on the Coast. Pete can fight too good to business with him.

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Marvin Hart is going to try his hand at refereeing in Kentucky this week. We trust that he will do better at that than he has had been doing as one of the other two.

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Joe Rosedale has been signed to box the leading game as a promoter in Baltimore recently, but he has decided to remain a moccasin on the game there put the damper on the enterprise.

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Jack O'Brien says that he feels confident that he will be able to put Jack Johnson to sleep. He claims to go after Johnson from the first tap of the gong. He says that he will not allow Johnson to clinch and that he will not allow him to use those tactics that I might be able to land whenever I please.

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Jim Driscoll is anxious to get back to America. Driscoll states that he will come in this country as soon as Abe Attell

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Sam Langford and Jimmy Walsh, the American fighters who are to fight Jim Hague, the English champion, at the National Sporting Club of London, on May 24, are training together for their contests and are already to be seen sharing Langford has acquired a new trick of pulling his right hand back and also his opponent both ways.

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Billy Mollette was knocked out by Willie Lewis in four rounds at Paris and has quit that country, and is now on his way home. Mollette was to have fought Lewis for the welter championship of Europe, but on the first steamer that sailed for America. Mollette received $1,000 for his end and also his expenses both ways.

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Jack McAuliffe, ex-lightweight champion pugilist, graced the opening day at the Belmont track. He was accompanied by Jack Kid Wolfe. Mack is getting stout and big with age, while Wolfe is a happy, polka-dotted trousers and a silk hat.

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BATTLING NELSON BEGINS TRAINING

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Battling Nelson started training this morning for his contest with Fighting Dick Hyland at Colma on the afternoon of May 29. Nelson will have but little time in which to prepare himself for this battle, and he will have to do some strenuous work from now until the time of the fight.

Hyland has been training faithfully for a month. Dick did a good deal of work with Hugo Kelly, and in all his work outs with the Italian he showed rare form.

Jack Grace, who will have charge of the Nelson camp, declared this morning the battler would be fit as a fiddle for the fray with Hyland.

GOULETTE EASY FOR JIM PROKOS

Jim Prokos demonstrated to the satisfaction of the big crowd at the Columbia last evening that he was Goulette's master at every stage of the game. The Greek just toyed with the French champion and was never in danger. Goulette started in rough it at times, but Referee Tuohey put his foot down and ordered him from the mat. When wrestling was resumed Prokos lost no time in going after his opponent and downed him in 12 minutes for the first fall. The second bout was by far more interesting and lasted fifteen minutes, the Greek again getting the credit of the fall.

Walter Willoughby and Cyclone Burns will wrestle tomorrow night. Sam Anderson and Joe Hinson will be the card for Saturday night.

WINNER TO MEET YOUNG CORBETT

The winner of the match between Arthur Cote of Biddeford and Jimmy McCarthy of Chicago will be matched by Manager Joe McCarthy of the Faneuil Hall A. C. to meet Young Corbett of Denver at the South Boston club at an early date. Cote and McCarthy clash in a ten-round bout next Friday night.

Several interesting preliminaries have been arranged. McCarthy is in good shape for the bout and Cote reports that he will be fit to qualify for the match in a few days.

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THE IDEAL HUSBAND

Woman's composite picture of the greatly-desired and much-sought-after mate is a man who will always be Kind to her

By DOROTHY DIX

THE Chicago preacher who has been trying to find out what qualities men and women most desire in wives and husbands, by propounding a number of queries on these points to the members of his congregation, has brought out a lot of interesting information full of significance.

Attention has already been called in this column to the fact that, judging from the replies to the questions of the clergymen, the modern maid does not demand that his wife shall be either an earthly angel, nor a meek Griselda, nor a down-trodden household slave.

Neither does he plump for a Venus, but is satisfied with a neat, tidy, jolly companionable sort of a woman, and he expresses himself as being perfectly willing to put up with a reasonable amount of temper and general human frailties.

He doesn't object to his wife belonging to clubs, and maintaining her own viewpoint, or even going in for politics if she wants to. All that he insists upon is that she shall not be extravagant, and that she shall be good-natured, and a good working partner.

Quite as illuminating, as to the kind of a husband a woman really wants, are the answers received from the woman as to their views on the ideal husband.

Not a woman insisted on good looks in the man she married. Nor did the man's occupation or position in life cut any figure in his desirability in feminine eyes. Nor did they regard money.

The Kind of a Man Woman Asks

The women didn't even want to boss. Their ideal husband didn't call for a man who was so poor spirited that he would let himself be henpecked. In short, the composite portrait of the ideal husband, as painted by the replies, showed no impossible hero of romance, but a very ordinary sort of an every-day man, who smoked and drank, and swore a blue streak when dinner was late, and whose wife had to hustle around to make the ends of her housekeeping allowance meet at the end of the week.

There was just one thing that every reply insisted upon, one desire that was common to every woman, and it struck a note of profound pathos. Every single woman, who answered the question of what qualities she most desired in a husband, said that she wanted to marry a man who would be KIND to her.

Kindness—kindness in all things is the gift every wife would have from her husband.

Men and women look at this subject from entirely different viewpoints. Each man considers himself kind to his wife if he doesn't beat her, or curse her, and if he provides her with food and shelter and raiment.

He may as cross at home as seven sticks. He may growl over the bills, and clamber every single thing she does. He may criticise her, and ridicule her views, and sit up for days at a time in a sullen growth, and yet honestly believe that he is a good, kind husband because his wife hasn't any blue and black marks in her body to show, and she can go and buy herself a new dress when she wants one.

But no woman considers this sort of a man a kind husband. When she talks about a man being kind to her she means that he is tender and sympathetic to her. He notices when she looks pale and worn, instead of telling her, when she complains of being ill, that he doesn't see what she's always running to the doctor for.

He sees and appreciates the sacrifices she makes for him, and thanks her for them. Instead of taking everything for granted and complaining because she isn't a better manager.

He surrounds her with the warm caressing arms of love, instead of leaving her guessing why he ever married her when he seems to care so little about her.

It is the brand of kindness that makes itself felt in words and deeds every hour of the day that women yearn for when they put as the chief attribute of the ideal husband that he must be KIND.

When Woman Will Slave for Man

As long as a man takes any interest in holding his wife's hand she is willing to work her fingers to the bone for him. As long as a man grieves because he can't give his wife fine clothes she will hug her rags to her breast and be happy as a queen. As long as a woman feels that her husband would take upon his shoulders every burden in order to spare her, there is no load she will not bear with rejoicing.

The most pathetic thing on earth is that it takes so little to make a woman happy, and she does not get that little. A few loving words, a little consideration, a few trifling attentions—that makes the difference between joy or misery for her.

Even her ideal husband is just a man who will be "kind" to her.

Her Purpose Waited

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

DOWN the long vistas of the years she gazed
With eager eyes, expectant, and alert.
Somewhere her Purpose waited; that great work
For which she was created. In her heart
Burned the deep longing to achieve, achieve—
To lead some glorious effort for reform!
To feed poor starving minds with loaves of thought,
And hungry hearts with love; to cheer, to aid,
To help humanity to nobler heights
And purer altitudes. She cared not how
Nor through what paths God led her to her work,
She was prepared for sacrifice and toil
And suffering, so be it at the last
She might attain her Purpose. Night and day
This thought was dominant; it had shaped her dreams
And colored all her actions, and it grew
To be a wall, which shut her duty out
And hid the hearts of dear ones from her view.

A GOOD man starved for love beside her hearth,
And little children wandered from the home
To find their pleasure elsewhere, and to learn
Life's mysteries from other lips than hers.
She dreamed of leading hosts to happiness
The while her own were hungering for her care.
She dreamed of fame and glory while dear Love
Sat in the solitude and pined to death.
She waited for her Purpose, and knew not
It dwelt forever lonely at her side
And wept because she would d not understand.

Where Love Is Not---By Beatrice Fairfax.

When a mother forces a marriage where love is not, she is guilty of a grave wrong

THE natural ambition of every mother is that her daughter should make a good match.

But many opinions differ as to just what constitutes a good match.

One woman will be quite satisfied to marry her daughter to wealth, while another sets greater store on social position. And still another asks only that the young people should love each other, regardless of worldly prospects.

The trouble is that oftimes the mother, stunned by her own interest, loses sight of the fact that the daughter is the one most concerned.

The mother who forces her child into a loveless marriage is, in all probability, a woman of little heart herself, and has no conception of the anguish she is dooming another woman to suffer.

If she sees her child the victim of a foolish infatuation, and about to rush into a marriage that is bound to turn out badly it is most natural that she should do all in her power to prevent it. But when she deliberately advises or forces a marriage where love is not, she is guilty of a grave wrong.

Almost every girl loves deeply at some period of her life. If she marries a man whom she does not love she is almost certain to meet some man, sooner or later, whom she does love, and then begins the tragedy of a broken heart, scandal or the divorce court.

Could anything be more awful than to love one man and be forced to marry another? It is the most soul-crushing agony that a woman could live through.

Love and Respect Necessary

"I am sure I know what's best for Nellie," said one mother. "She will learn to love her husband and to thank me for having saved her from a life of poverty."

But Nellie did not learn to love her husband; she learned to hate him, and to-day she is a bitter, soured woman, with no love for the mother who forced her into a loveless marriage.

Every woman loves differently. One may love violently, passionately—another may love with a sincere, calm affection that lasts forever.

Physical repulsion is almost impossible to conquer.

I have known a girl to marry a man for whom she felt no great love, but whom she thoroughly liked and respected, and I have watched the liking grow into a beautiful and perfect love. But of course she ran the risk of meeting some man whom she be might have learned to love more than the husband whom she merely liked.

The mother's mature judgment made keen by love is able to detect a man's true worth, whereas the girl, biased by love, is blind to his faults.

But if the mother love fails and the mother heart coldly turns to money and position, instead of worth, where can the girl turn for counsel?

It is quite natural that a mother should wish to see her daughter married to a man who can give her the comforts and luxuries of life, but the love and respect must come first, else the marriage will be a miserable failure.

Before They're Hatched

By KENNETT HARRIS

FUNNY, how misfortune thickens when you go to raising chickens!
Strange the quickness with which sickness grips and holds the feathered flocks,
And the Brahmas whose pajamas disgust the Plymouth Rocks.
Oh the times I've calmly trusted, hoped for wealth and then gone busted,
Owing to some strange and gruesome troubles which my hens dispatched.
Still though I am far from fretting when I have a biddy setting
Far from glooming, still I'm booming prices on the eggs unhatched.

HOW those fluffy fledglings flourished, by cornmeal and cutworms nourished!
How they fattened and they battened, how they grew and feathered out!
How they (in my dreams enraptured) the first poultry prizes captured!
But for dying, they'd be flying at the champions no doubt.
Then the ones I kept for dinner, each was certainly a winner.
Such a flavor! such a savor! and a tenderness unmatched.
With the wisest of selection you'll not reach the same perfection,
But I hit it, I admit it, long before the chicks are hatched.

TRUST has some redeeming features. Why not count the pretty creatures,
Taking chances that your fancies soon may turn to rosy fact—
Fact of fat and high-priced broilers, shipped up to the city toilers,
Fact of laying eggs and paying sums substantial and compact?
True the hen now incubating may get good and tired of waiting,
Straightway quitting, from the sitting getting fatally detached.
Still I've come to the decision that there's comfort in a vision.
Joy and pleasure, in full measure, counting chicks before they're hatched.

Little Bobbie's Slate

CHIS morning wen Pa was reddy to go to the office, he sed to Ma, Well, sanshine, dear, how do you feel?

I feel feerce, sed Ma. I have a awful hed-ache. Oh, deer me, sed Ma. Wud that I cud perish, Ma sed.

Doant take it so hard, sed Pa. Remember, sed Pa, the truest sign of curage is not to flinch in the face of suf-

fering. Tak me, for instens, sed Pa. The shreeked no lowd that all the naborss rite that the suffragettes was up here at cejin in.

Mercy, sed one (1) of the nabors, wich was a lady that Pa had met the day bee-fore in our flat. Mercy, the poor man has been struck by his crule wife. Wat are you talking about? sed Ma. I doant know what is the matter with my husabnd, but I certingly never struck him in my whole life. I will admit, sed Ma, that if I thought for one (1) minit that I had the punch & the clevverness, I mite have smitten him now & then wen he calm hoam from one (1) of his jolly lodges, singing songs about Brotherly Love, Brotherly Love. Pure as the Snow on the Mountains Above. Now, sed Ma to Pa, in the presence of all these naborss, tell wat you are bowling about.

Wen I was cumming up in the Subway, sed Pa, a big brute of a man stepped on my foot. Oh, sed Pa, the pain is terriful. terriful. I do not know, sed Pa, whether I shall live to see the light of dawn. With all the strength of my iron will, Pa sed, I am trying to fight down this awful pain, but even in the presence of these ladies I must sware. Then Pa swore three (3) times & the ladies went back to there rooms.

Now, sed Ma to Pa, what do you think of yureself? Wen you left the house this morning, I had a awful hed-ache, & you acted as if my very life pulls. Now go rite hoam with a soar toe & quit like the dog that you are. As the poet says,

Women, in her hours of ease,
Is coy & very hard to please.
But wen pain & anguish wrings the brow,
The man squeels harder than the frau.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

THINGS WILL COME RIGHT

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a stenographer in a large concern, and the bookkeeper (unmarried) and I have become very friendly. As far as I know, he has learned to love him, and I think my love was returned, because he acted to me just as though he had any feeling until the other day when I entered the office in the morning he passed some notes to me, and I, feeling blue, barely answered. Since then he hasn't spoken one word to me outside of business. I am heartbroken, for I never knew I loved him so much until now.

Now, Miss Fairfax, what I want to know is, "Do you think if he really cared for me he would let such a thing part our friendship?" He is a very bashful boy.

DOUBTFUL.

I THINK he is just a little bit offended, and that after a while things will come all right. He should not take offence at such a trifling matter, but perhaps you hurt his feelings. Treat him just as you always have, and I think he will soon be himself again.

NOT NECESSARY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

A lady friend, whom I hope some day to make my wife, has asked me to attend a wedding with her in the near future. Both parties in the affair are well known to my friend, but I myself have never made their acquaintance.

Now, under the circumstances, is it proper to make a wedding gift, or would it be considered bad taste not to send anything at all?

What would you suggest, if anything? Thanking you in advance,

H. H.

IT is not necessary to send a gift, as you do not know them personally, but if you care to show some little attention, you might send the bride or her mother some flowers.

Wanted--Initiative and Honor

By HENRY W. FISCHER

DEADLY parallel of common, every-day news mongering:

"Small store-keeper kills himself because big rival threatens ruin."

"A promising young lawyer jumped from 18-story window to his death."

A half-column for the "Tragedy of the Little store."

Twenty lines for the next item: "Cause of suicide a mystery to family and friends."

"Typical" appealing to the emotions, "mystery" stirring the imagination—are hall marks that sell papers, but the events narrated had in them, as a matter of fact, neither the elements of melodrama nor of weirdness.

The case of the man who deserted this life (and incidentally his family) because the healthy growth of a great city demanded bigger, better, lighter and brighter stores than his own may have some claims upon sentimental consideration, but if one had as many lives as a cat, or a tapeworm, and sacrificed them all voluntarily upon the altar of progression, such actions would only emphasize the necessity, nay sublimity, of progress.

A giant commercial emporium suddenly booming up beside a petty shop should be a spur to increased activity rather than a danger or menace, and to the right man it is every time!

Brings Individual to Front

To-day on many Boston streets are veritable peacock rows of "Macies," "Jordan Marshes"—as many deflea to establishments five hundred times bigger than theirs.

And both the giant and pigmy are doing excellently well, thank you—the one pursuing a policy that pleases the masses, the other catering to individuality.

In place of furling sail before the big store, the small shopkeeper should have the double task to study his big rival's methods, should have aproused up, put on a bold front and tried his utmost to please his customers and keep them instead of frightening them away by lamentations.

If he had done so, he would be alive to-day, and prosperous to-morrow.

And "the man of mystery" who beat his brains out in his shop widely?

As the papers correctly stated, he was a promising young lawyer, well off, with the brightest of futures before him from a business point of view. He enjoyed life, had health and had a lovely wife and fine children.

But——

Ten years ago the man now dead stood up before his white-haired father.

Had Much to Live for

"Governor," he said, "I want to make a confession. I love Millie——"

"Millie—our waitress?"

"The same, father, and I promised to marry her."

"If Millie is good enough to be loved by you, son, she's good enough to be your wife."

And so they were married, and for several years all was happiness and prosperity with them—and Millie.

But in the course of time the man who did the honorable thing by the girl he loved reflected upon the chances he missed in the heiress that might have been his, the daughter of a great family that he might have rejoined.

And Millie's beauty, her pleasant ways about the house, the lovely children she bore him, all counted for naught against the chimera abandoned when he stood up with her at the altar.

Pity the small storekeeper afraid of the big-store if you will—it is hard to sympathize with the young lawyer despondent because he missed his banner and his wife's

The House Fly and His Feet

By DR. J. C. BAYLES

IT is commonly believed that flies remain in the house all Winter, hibernating in cracks and sheltered places. This, if true at all, is true to a very limited extent, and it is safe to assume that ninety-five per cent., at least, of the flies found indoors in Summer have come in through open windows and doors.

Flies are filth-born, and never outlive their preference for the conditions which created them, but they are eager for dainty food when they can get it, and any moment a fly gets into the house he makes for the places where food is kept or exposed, climbs over it and makes himself as much at home, and in much the same way, as a hog in a trough of swill.

It leaves behind it footprints which are often, and perhaps nearly always, niduses of pathogenic bacteria. This has been conclusively established by cultures on gelatine plates over which flies have been permitted to walk.

Flies caught in the rooms of patients suffering from typhoid fever, smallpox, scarlet fever, tuberculosis and other diseases have been examined under the microscope, and in nearly every instance it has been found that other germs are only covered, but filled, with the specific bacteria of these diseases. In a single "fly speck," about the size of a period used in punctuating an AMERICAN editorial article, as many as three thousand typhoid bacilli have been found.

Careful observations have established the fact that the spread of typhoid fever in war time among the troops in the field is often directly by the agency of flies and bacteriologists are reaching the conclusion that a great many other forms of contagion and infection are propagated in the same way.

To keep flies out of a house involves very little expense and no more trouble than the immunity from annoyance is worth. Window screens and wire outside doors are inexpensive fixtures, and why any household should be content to do without them is quite incomprehensible.

It is a mistake to delay installing these essential agencies of protection for health and comfort until hot weather is reached. The flies of May are just as dirty and just as dangerous as those of July. Once in the house their numbers are quickly doubled.

A house free from flies and mosquitoes is the only home in which even an approximation to a comfortable living is possible. It is, moreover, the only home in which life and health are as well safeguarded as prudence demands.

CHILDISH WISDOM.

Lady—Will you send this rug on approval?

Salesman—Certainly, ma'am.

Little Girl (who is with her mother)—Hadn't you better tell him to be sure and get it there on time, ummus? You know we give the party to-morrow night.—Life.

CHASE & SANBORN'S HIGH GRADE TEAS & COFFEES

This Mother and That

By WINIFRED BLACK

A WOMAN ran away from her husband a few months ago and is now living a life of more or less immorality in a Western city. The Humane Society heard of the case, went to the woman's room and took a little two-year old daughter away from her. The woman got out a writ of habeas corpus, took the case into court and fought for the custody of her child.

She admitted on the witness stand that she had run away from her husband with another man, and that she was not as careful of her good name as she might be. And then she cried very pitifully, and the jury, seeing her tears, gave the little girl to her to keep.

I am afraid I can't shed many tears over that particular case, myself.

I'm too busy crying over another woman I know. She's young, too, and pretty, and full of life, and she likes to laugh and to dance, and to wear smart dresses, but she's poor and she has a little girl at home.

So she comes downtown early in the morning every day, and works very hard, and at night she goes home and spends her on a child's supper and sleeps to her tells her stories, and she would die rather than to do one thing to make that little one blush at the mention of her mother's name when she grows old enough to understand.

There are thousands of such women as this one—thousands of them in every city in America, young, gay, pretty, fond of amusement and admiration and pretty clothes—but they are fonder of their little children and of their own good names than they are of any of these other things.

When I have tears to shed over the lonely woman, I am going to shed mine in the course of such women as these, and let the law take its course in the cases of the mothers who do not care enough for their own little children to behave themselves so that the law cannot take them away.

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One thing only we demand of a woman—she may be a fool, a vixen, a shrew, a nonentity, social—but if she be honest in just one particular no human influence can separate her children from her.

The woman who will not keep that one law for the sake of keeping her children ought to lose them—and I am afraid I don't scare up one solitary tear to shed when she does lose them.

DRAMA

E. H. SOTHERN REVIVES "LORD DUNDREARY" IN BOSTON

By MORTON BIRGE.

ONCE more Bostonians are having a peculiar treat in seeing E. H. Sothern in the role of Lord Dundreary, that extravagant character created and made famous by the star's father, the late E. A. Sothern.

A large audience at the Majestic last night welcomed Mr. Sothern at the opening of his Boston engagement. The house, both old and young, was most friendly. Not only were success given after the various acts, but Mr. Sothern and some of the members of his company were given a spontaneous hand during the action of the play, when a particularly clever bit of act-

E. H. Sothern, as "Lord Dundreary," in the revival of the play by the same name at the Majestic.

ing roused enthusiasm. At the close of the third act Mr. Sothern responded to several curtain calls.

The Dundreary role, revived from a half century ago, and from an earlier and far different dramatic atmosphere, is not unfamiliar to the younger set now because Mr. Sothern was seen in it here last season.

But the older generation, which was fortunate enough to have seen the elder Sothern in the role, has an extra pleasure in this revival on account of its privilege of comparing father and son.

There is a double travesty in the play. The Lord Dundreary role is an exaggerated illustration of the way Americans viewed the titled Englishman of that day. In the role of Asa Trenchard, the "American Cousin," one gets the English idea of the American, particularly in Vermont and that sort of a thing. Bearing in mind these exaggerations, the Dundreary type in particular becomes irresistibly amusing.

Mr. Sothern' artistic address was displayed with consummate skill as he played the Dundreary role. He was logically and consistently asinine. In the third act his height of absurdity made the audience roar with laughter.

The supporting company is well adjusted to the star. Mr. Mather as Asa Trenchard, Mr. Taylor as Richard Cooper, Mr. Bradley as Abel Murcott and Miss Hand as Miss Hammond as Florence Trenchard, and Mary Meredith were particularly noticeable.

The old-fashioned settings of the piece, carefully true to the time of the action, added quaint flavor to the production. The side-shirts, poke bonnets and other feminine furbies of our grandmothers were especially effective on the women.

Mr. Sothern plays "Lord Dundreary" through this week except two performances on next Friday night he will play "Hamlet," in which he has not been seen in this city. On Saturday night he will play "Hamlet." For that production Miss Julia Marlowe, so long associated with Mr. Sothern, will play Ophelia by special arrangement.

Next week Mr. Sothern will add "If I Were King" to his repertoire with another performance of "Hamlet" with Miss Marlowe on Saturday matinee, May 29. There will be no Wednesday matinee.

Keith's.

The bill this week at Keith's Theatre appeals to all entertainment lovers. The headline is undoubtedly the "Planophiends." The nerve for the salt is a piano solo, soon will Harry Boyd as manager. Boyd is assisted as manager by four salesmen—Paul MacCarthy, Harold Tjaensen, Winifier Watts and C. M. Clear. The young men play at five pianos and four stately, slender girls—Gladys Lockwood, Jean Boynton, Lotta Burseiel and Ivy Davis—appear as "society girls on a shopping tour." Instrumental and vocal solos, duets and choruses and several fancy step dances go to make up an act that caused a storm of applause for its cleverness.

Valerie Bergere began her second week last night. This week she is playing "The Morning After." It is a sketch which is well calculated to give this versatile young actress full scope for her emotional powers.

George H. Wood has an entirely new monologue, every bit as funny as his other performances here. The Pleasant riding act is a thriller. The Hawaiian trio in vocal and instrumental musical selections and the woman dancer are a feature of the bill.

Orpheum.

James J. Corbett makes his reappearance at the Orpheum Theatre yesterday when he appeared as the star in the one act playlet, "A Thief in the Night." Corbett makes no references through his sketch to his ringlete qualities, neither the fancy greeting which he received at the start. He prefers to be welcomed as an actor. At the close of his sketch he was generously applauded for his dramatic work.

Juliett holds over on this weeks' bill with her wonderful illusions. Mlle. Alerno's English Concert Hall Company puts on a new sketch, "Queens of London," in which the high-class work of last week was again evident. Reynard Instillment, of the song-writers' contest is another big feature. Other acts are Bell and Caron, in unicycle work; Caswell and Arnold, in barrel tumbling; the Martin Brothers, xylophonists; Josephine Ainsley and Kenney and Hollis.

Colonial.

There is extra interest in "A Stubborn Cinderella," now on its third week at the Colonial Theatre, on account of the advent of Harry Stone to the cast in the role of Mac Mr. Stone proved himself on his first appearance here last night to be a clever comedian. He was warmly applauded. Miss Sallie Fisher, Miss Alice Dover and the other principals, as well as the high-trained chorus, delighted the audience with their sprightly ways, tuneful songs and gay dances.

Bowdoin Square.

Rowland Edwards, a new-comer to the Bowdoin Theatre stock company, scored a pronounced hit yesterday in the two opening presentations of "Lucky Ranch," a Western melodrama. He takes a dual role, representing twin brothers. Gussie Hall was seen to good advantage in the leading feminine role. Moving pictures add to the regular dramatic bill.

Tremont.

Miss May Robson secured again last night the successes she has been scoring the past week at the Tremont Theatre in "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary." This is a comedy based on the amusing novel of that name by Anne Warner. It tells how an old lady became very young and frolicsome under the inspiration of her nephew. The story also carries a pretty romance. Miss Robson as Aunt Mary carries just the quaint personation and lifelike manner to make the role seem most true to life.

Howard Athenaeum.

The Summers-Britt fight films from the recent bout in London are a great drawing card for sporting patrons at the Howard Athenaeum this week. The pictures will be shown twice daily, at 2 and 8 p. m. The burlesque attraction is the Washington Society Girls. They include Manie Chandler, Madeline Webb, Frances Madigan, Bessie Worton and other favorites. There is a strong olio bill furnished by the house.

Gaiety.

Clark's Runaway Girls are putting on a brisk burlesque bill at the Gaiety Theatre, the Pittsburgh-Monte Carlo Trio constitute one delightful feature of the bill. The Rooneys are a lively troupe, with clever principals and gay chorusites, all finely costumed and trained to the minute. Their bill is replete with action, songs, jokes and enlivening dances.

Castle Square.

The closing week of "The Runaway Girl" began last night at the Castle Square Theatre. The excellent work by Mary Young, John Craig and Donald Meek in this bright musical comedy still draws large houses, now that the close of the popular engagement is at hand. When "The Runaway Girl" retires this week it will be to make way for "The Geisha," another delightful musical comedy whose scenery and plot are laid in Japan.

Columbia.

After an absence of three years the Innocent Maids burlesque troupe came to the Columbia Theatre yesterday for the week. Princess Olga and her "Dance of Death," making her debut on the American stage, was a feature of the program. To-morrow night there will be a wrestling bout between Prokes and Goulette. This will add greatly to the excellent bill already furnished.

New Palace.

Carl McCullough, in an impersonation of stage celebrities, is one of the features of a strong bill at the New Palace Theatre this week. Other acts include the La Combe brothers, in trapeze and ring work; Reid and Lloyd, in new songs; the Cobanolis Trio, in song and dance specialties; "The Burglar" sketch, by Kelso and Leighton; Robert Vanni, in operatic singing; A. H. Lea, in illustrated songs, and motion pictures.

Globe.

The Globe put on a new continuous bill yesterday of more than average excellence. The new program includes the Three Lorelles in comedy acrobatics; Levis and Lloyd, the song and dance team; St. John and Dean, novelty singers; Forresto's trained dogs; Bowers and Leighton, in "Miss Collier," an unusually well-trained miss of dancing pictures.

Austin & Stone's Museum.

Wormwood's Dog and Monkey Circus is creating much amusement at Austin & Stone's Museum this week. The animals perform tricks which mark them of a high order of intelligence. Mitchelle, Scottish dancers, are another feature of the bill. The Manhattan Girls have a new program of song, dance and joke for the week.

Hub.

A novel offering at the Hub Theatre is the Great Dubois and company in "The Funny Duck," with Noah's Ark and comedy magic. Skinner and Woods present a fine singing and dancing sketch. Hart and Wakefield in comedy acrobatics, moving pictures and other acts are on the bill.

Scenic Temple.

Another new and lively bill is on at the Scenic Temple for this week. There are new moving pictures, new illustrated songs and new olio acts. The Empire Women's Orchestra, Miss Rita Mario conductor, furnishes incidental music.

Hollis Street.

Grace Van Studdiford began last night the second week of her engagement in "The Golden Butterfly" at the Hollis Street Theatre. Walter Percival and W. J. McCarthy aid Miss Van Studdiford materially in the success of this new comic opera by DeKoven and Smith.

Boston.

Chauncey Olcott began last night the third week of his engagement at the Boston Theatre in "Ragged Robin." On account of the success of his latest vehicle of Mr. Olcott, the engagement has been extended to May 22.

Park.

"The Traveling Salesman" entered on its fifth week at the Park Theatre last night. In this new comedy of commercial life by James Forbes the title role is taken by Mark Smith. He is giving a neat interpretation of the part.

NOT IN HIS SET

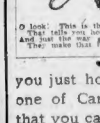
"Henry!" cried Mrs. Van Freddick, grasping her somnolent husband by the arm. "Henry! There are burglars in house. Get up and go down!"

"Utter nonsense, my dear," returned Henry. "You wouldn't have a man of my social position assembling with burglars, would you! You astonish me!"

COULDN'T DECLINE IT.

"This little poem, Scribbler, is very good; but I don't see why you give it such a strange title. What induced you to call it 'Adverb'?"

"Oh, that's for the purpose of influencing the editor. An adverb cannot be declined, you know."



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The Excuse Club

Have You Joined It? If Not, Why Not?

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YOU NEEDN'T HANG UP YOURS HAT UNTIL YOU TELL ME WHERE YOU'VE BEEN!
I WAS HURRYING FROM THE OFFICE WHEN I WAS CAUGHT IN A SHOWER AND
NOT HAVING AN UMBRELLA I HAD TO WAIT UNTIL IT PASSED OVER—AS I HAD ON MY NEW SUIT!
I WAS CROSS TO YOU DARLING!
WAIT, I'LL SEE WHO THIS IS!
WRETCH
YOU LEFT THIS AT THE CLUB. MR BUTTIN SAID I COULD CATCH YOU YOU HAD JUST LEFT SO RAN ALL THE WAY
HARRY—LEWIS—

THE JOURNAL OF A NEGLECTED WIFE

By Mabel Herbert Urner

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December 3.

THE silent telephone—this telephone in my room.

In all these six days not once has it rung. Why should it? Who is there to call up Mrs. R. L. Kempton, in an obscure Brooklyn hotel?

And yet the longing that it will ring is never quite out of my mind, the hope that in some way he has found out where I am and has come to take me home.

Day and night I dream of his coming, live through scene after scene in which he comes for me. I always think of a sudden telephone ring, and the girl downstairs saying, "A gentleman is here to see you," or perhaps he will give his name, "Mr. Kempton, I've come to take the baby. I am under no there will be no question of his being my husband—of his coming to my room. And then I will say, "You may ask the gentlemen to come up."

Sometimes I find myself saying it out loud. Then I pierce him at the door, dream of his taking me in his arms, whispering: "Mary, my little wife, it is all a mistake. There is no other woman in my life but you—there never will be. I have been blind to what you home, dear, now let you go again."

Hour after hour, walking up and down this bare hotel room, I rehearse—live through scenes like that.

And yet I am so sure, so piteously sure, that nothing like these dreams will ever happen. That the most I have to hope for is some pretext to go back—to go back to indifference and neglect—just to go back.

December 4.

I HAPPENED to open the drawer of the table in this room to-day. It is a cheap, shiny oak table, and the drawer, stuck by the varnish, opened reluctantly. Perhaps that is why the careless maid had not troubled to clear it out.

It seemed to hold relics of several tenants. A couple of rusty pens, a wire hairpin, some matches, an empty cigarette box, the seven of spades from a pack of cards, some laundry slips and several sheets of hotel paper. Most of the paper was blotted, one sheet was covered with penciled figures, another had "August 16th" written on the date line, on another some one had jotted down a telephone number—6205 Chester.

On the back of the drawer was a folded sheet torn in two. By fitting it together, it proved:

Dear Minnie—Things look pretty hopeless. I am so—(sorry), that I—(was as I thought—nothing doing. He is pretty much of a bluff. I am to see Brandford to-morrow. Yesterday was Sunday and I tell you I felt mighty blue. I thought I would get a letter from you this morning, haven't had one since Friday. I wish I had some good news to write. But keep up spirits, little girl, things may come right yet; they ought to for your sake. You've had a tough time, I know. If I can—

And that was all. Why was it left unfinished? Had he written another and more cheerful note?

I imagined him a man of mediocre ability, on here trying to get a position, writing back to his wife. She may have had a hard time, but he loved her. The "little girl" and the rest of the sentence show that.

I wonder if she realizes how little anything else matters as long as she has love. How gladly I would go through any poverty and hardship if I could only feel that Horace loved me.

As I tried to close the drawer I saw a small newspaper clipping, which had been caught in the crevice at the side.

St. Louis, June 12.—Alfred E. Baker, a traveling salesman for a New York woolen house, committed suicide in the Hotel Vendome here last night. He was found unconscious, a pistol still in his hand, and two bullet wounds in his side. He died on the way to the hospital. Several letters were found addressed to a correspondency from ill health and family troubles.

Why was this clipping here? Had some one been in this room to learn the death of Alfred E. Baker brought sorrow or remorse?

I closed the drawer with a shudder.

The room seemed full of ghosts—ghosts of past tragedy.

A small, cheap room in a medium-priced hotel—what a procession of humanity must have passed through here. What could these walls tell of discouragement and despair—what scenes have they looked down upon?

Oh, Horace Horace! I am filled with terror! Come after me; take me away from here; take me home and shield and protect me. Keep this strange fear of life—of I know not what—away from me. Oh, Horace, I am afraid—afraid!

I was returning to-day from another fruitless trip to the postoffice, too wretched and heartsick to care where I went, I walked aimlessly for several blocks, and suddenly found myself upon a great crowd around an elevated station. The gates and platforms above were black with people. The whole atmosphere of the street was tense with excitement.

"What has happened?" a voice near me asked. I realized I was throw herself before the elevated," some one answered. "They are trying to get her body from under the train."

I turned and ran from the scene. The crushed body of a woman under those cars! What had she suffered to goad her to that? Why had she chosen so ghastly a way? Was it the cruelty of some man she loved?

Oh, God! the suffering of women! If You are all-powerful, why do You let the creatures You create be crazed by the anguish of loving—an instinct You plant within them, and they are powerless to combat it?

(To be continued to-morrow.)

SOCIETY

LOUISE LINCOLN LEADS LIST OF JUNE BRIDES

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

Plans for June weddings are maturing rapidly, and there will be a long and brilliant procession to tread the rose-strewn path to the bridal altar.

One of the most important of the marriages will be that of Miss Louise Lincoln, daughter of Albert L. Lincoln of Brookline, and Geoffrey W. Lewis, which is to be on Tuesday afternoon, June 15, in the First Parish Church, Brookline. Miss Lincoln, who is one of the prettiest of the Lincoln girls, will be given in marriage by her father. Mrs. William T. Reid, Jr. (Christine Lincoln) will come on from her home in California, to be her sister's matron of honor. Among the bridesmaids will be Miss Hilda Williams, a cousin of the bride; Miss Sally Bliss and Miss Katherine Lewis and Miss Eleanor Lewis, the bridegroom's two sisters.

Mr. Lewis is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. William Whitney Lewis of Cohasset and is a graduate of Harvard, class of '05.

Albert Ellis Harding, a classmate, is to be best man and the ushers, all Harvard men save one, will be: William R. Reid, Jr., and James Dean, Miss Lincoln's brother-in-law; her only brother, Albert L. Lincoln, Jr., Francis Thompson Coley and Herbert Briggs Webster of Boston, Norton Wiggleworth of Milton, Loring Tiffany Swann of Cambridge and Paul Dudley Lamson of Worcester.

A reception at the Lincoln home on Walnut place will follow the ceremony.

After an extended honeymoon, the young couple will be for the Summer at the Nichols cottage on Beach street, Cohasset.

The bridal trousseau is said to be most elaborate and the gowns of the attendants are to be quite the most beautiful worn at any of the Spring weddings.

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Miss Eleanora Sears, who left town last week with the Reginald Vanderbilts and went with them to the horse show at Montreal, was guest of honor last night at a brilliant dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt at their Newport estate, Sandy Point Farm. Miss Sears will return later in the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Bradlee of Beacon street are still at "Fairyland," the Bermuda villa where they have been since early November, but are to sail for New York Tuesday, May 27, on the Bermudian, and will immediately join the Summer colony at Nahant.

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Another interesting bridal of early June will be that of Miss Chantelle Nickerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nickerson, and Guy Bancroft. The ceremony will be performed Tuesday, the first day of June, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Unitarian Church at Winchester.

Mr. Bancroft, who is a well-known club man, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft of Winchester, and is identified with the Union Boat and other clubs. He is a Harvard '02 man and a retired lieutenant in Battery A. He was one of the crack gunmen in his varsity crew. Mrs. William Haviland of Limoges, France, who has been a visitor here for the past several months, is the only sister. She, with her two children, will stay on for the wedding.

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Several cards have reached here from Representative and Mrs. John W. Weeks of this city for the reception to be given at the Washington residence on Monday, May 31, from 9 to 11 p. m., in honor of Vice-Admiral Baron Satokichi Uriu of the Imperial Japanese Navy, who was a classmate of Representative Weeks at the naval academy in Annapolis, and from which institution they graduated together in 1881.

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Society here is interested in the wedding in Baltimore to-day of Miss Agnes Randall, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Barton Brusie and Mrs. Brusie, to Albert Porter Wills of Columbia University, New York, son of the late William Wills and Mrs. Wills of Waltham, Mass. The ceremony will be performed at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 2,208 Maryland avenue, by the Rev. Andrew Chilton Foxell, rector of Grace Episcopal Church.

The bride will have as her only attendant her sister, Miss Mary Wheeler Griffin of New York, and Mr. Willis will have for his best man his brother, William Willis, Jr., of Waltham.

The bride, who is an exceptionally attrac-

Judges Chosen In "Cinderella" Foot Contest

Miss Julia Di Cynthe of East Boston, competitor in the Cinderella contest for foot prizes, but not a candidate for chorus girl prize.

The foot picture is that of a Roxbury contestant. It is the only native Parisian foot, so far as known, in the contest.

ENTRY BLANK.

Name.....

Address.....

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Size of shoe.....

Greatest width of foot.....

Length, heel to big toe.....

Height..... Weight.....

The BOSTON AMERICAN announced today the Board of Judges for its Cinderella Foot Contest. They are:

Mrs. Theo Roggies Kitson of Quincy, sculptor.

Miss Sally Cross, the Boston artist.

Miss J. N. Oliver, artist in the Copley Studios.

All are of highest repute in the world of art. The candidates are to be congratulated, too, in having these artists to decide the winners in the Cinderella Foot Contest.

Candidates who qualify among the first thirty, from whom the prize winners are ultimately to be selected, will be notified when and where to go before the Board of Judges.

The Cinderella Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN publishes to-day two pictures which he thinks will interest the contestants in this "foot race" and the general public as well.

Remember, girls, this contest closes Thursday afternoon at 2. Do not delay too long in making your entries.

There are four prizes for the smallest and prettiest foot: First, a golden slipper inlaid with jewels; second, a silver scrolled slipper; third, $25 cash; fourth, a place in "A Stubborn Cinderella" company, now playing at the Colonial.

Fill out the accompanying entry blank and bring it to the Cinderella Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN at No. 52 Summer street. Make an outline drawing of your foot and bring that, too. Or you can have the outline drawing made at this office.

Life, Love and Death

A LITTLE dreaming by the way.
A little longing by the day.
A little pain, a little strife,
A little joy—and that is life.

A SHORT-LIVED, fleeting Summer's morn,
When happiness seems newly born,
When one day's sky is blue above
And one full song—and that is love.

A LITTLE wearing of the years,
The tribute of a few hot tears.
Two folded hands—the fainting breath.
And peace at last—and that is death.

JUST dreaming, loving, dying, go!
The actors in the drama go!
A fitting picture on the wall,
Love, death, the themes! But, is that all?

Answers.

Real Facts About the Hair

The air is full of floating dust, dirt and disease germs, which settle upon everything. There is a natural oil on your head that draws the dust fast, and in a short time you have dandruff and scalp troubles. The pores in your scalp are stopped up, the hair roots get no nourishment, and then your hair begins to fall out. It is all such a simple matter that a child can see that cleanliness is the one and only thing needed. You don't need tonics, renewers, invigorators or hair growers. You need Birt's Head Wash, which will put your hair and scalp in a healthy, natural condition, and you ought to use it at least once a week. It puts the scalp in such healthy shape that faded, lifeless hair resumes its natural color, and the hair of all who use it takes on a soft, silky gloss and sheen that every man and woman so much admires. There is no alcohol in Birt's Head Wash, as alcohol is said to make hair turn gray prematurely. Birt's Head Wash is made of Refined Soap, Cochin Cocoanut Oil, White of Eggs, Glycerin and Salicylic Acid. There are no better things than these known for cleansing the hair and scalp, and any doctor or druggist will tell you so if you ask him. Price 50 cents.

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HIGH TARIFF IN CONTROL; BLAME TAFT

By ALFRED HENRY LEWIS

WASHINGTON, May 18.—It is apparent that the honest faction of the Senate Republicans has given up serious hope of being able to carry out the party promises of tariff reform. There will be no real revision. There won't even be the appearance of it, save in a few items, those of no importance. Mr. Aldrich is in control. The three weeks ago could count a majority of four, now he can be beaten by as many, if not more.

The bill which leaves the Senate to go into conference will for the greater part be but a repetition of the House bill. In some respects it promises to be even more burdensome. The world would have been better off had the extra session never been called. Aldrich-seeking under the Aldrich-Payne bill will be greater and more copious than it has been under the Dingley measure. The only reduction the extra session threatens to be not only a disappointment but a disaster.

What is to blame? Mainly Mr. Taft. There was, as there still is, a stalwart contingent in the Senate, headed by the Borahs, the La Follettes, the Cummingses and the Nelsons, who would have fought to the last to keep these party promises of reform and the people. The courage and the address to have controlled it. There is, however, a miserable, foiled. He has been weak where he should have been strong, vacillating where he should have been decisive, and for his part in the tariff making has left Taft's positions only to run away from them.

"Turns Back on Own Word."

He has avowed himself one time and another for an inheritance tax, an income tax, a tax on the dividends of corporations. Also one time and another, at a Cabin-Root bite or an Aldrich threat to seek revenge upon the Army and Navy bills, he has denied those avowals and turned his back on his own words.

At a Taft suggestion, or, at least, with a Taft consent, Mr. Root and Mr. Knox are both going about among the states when declaring that "at no time has Mr. Taft said so much as five hundred words one way or another about the tariff." According to these guardian angels of his "policies," Mr. Taft has "expressed his views and desires all to Congress."

It was the Republican party that for being blown hither and yon on the White House pan has called to account the tariff right. With a Democratic House in control there could have been no tariff right. With a White House in touch with the people, what we have is the surrender and the make the best terms they could.

Mr. Taft has been and is not the weak spot on the line for popular defense. The Republicans will have to stand by him, for they have lost the confidence of men and of all who will not support a party for a party's disaster. Mr. Taft must be named first. Mr. Aldrich is the man who blasphemed he has but represented his region in that regard. Somewhere, however, between Mr. Taft, chosen to represent the whole country, and her tariffed New York.

Root Smarts Under Lashing.

Mr. Root, according to popular theory is greatly cast down at the verbal switching he received last week at the hands of Mr. Tillman, Mr. Money and Mr. La Follette. For myself, I doubt if Mr. Root has been rendered in any sort dejected by that experience. Mr. Root is a lounger, and a heavy gun, but what there is of him is called stern.

Mr. Root, in all chances, will again lecture the Senate, he can't help that. He can't help that lecture habit, which is but the pedagogue habit and was born to him. Mr. Root has the instinct to teach. His father was a professor of Greek in his respectable days. Mr. Root himself, when time was, went up and down among the scholars, a female in one hand, a spelling book in the other. Wherefore, he blood and by instinct is disposed to by his inclination to deal with the Senate as he might with any other ringing political economy and prominence ex cathedra against the purblind errors of its ways.

DEER IN HEART OF CITY.

DOVER, N. H., May 18.—A deer about half grown jumped into the yard of Mrs. Ida Candwick on Fourth street and after stabbing about a few buildings left in escape but fell and broke its neck. Mrs. Chadwick's home is to a thickly settled section of the city.

MERCHANTS FIGHTING FOR TAX REFORM

When the bill which provides for a referendum on the proposed amendment to the State constitution striking out the "provisional" clause comes up on a vote to reconsider in the Senate Thursday, there will be a large delegation of merchants, lawyers and men interested in tax reform on hand to watch the proceedings.

When it was defeated last Thursday by a scant majority of one vote there was little debate. Since then tremendous pressure has been brought to bear by certain interests who benefit by the present system of taxation to defeat it, while the business interests represented in the Merchants' Association demand its passage.

Speaking of the bill to-day, Louis D. Brandeis was very emphatic in favor of the measure.

"The bill ought to go through. We must have it," he said. "We have been trying for many years to secure reasonable taxation. Financial development of this Commonwealth could have been hampered by the constitutional law. It is like an old suit of clothes, long outworn and ragtown, too."

Enormous Tax on Machinery.

The Merchants' Association and Professor Bullock of Harvard, who is leading the fight, calls attention to the enormous tax on machinery in this State. It is from two to four times that of other States. Another thing is the proportional tax on the lands unsuited to agriculture, which has practically destroyed the great value of forest tracts.

It is claimed that there are 3,000,000 acres of such land in this State now worth only fifty cents an acre. Planted to white pine, which is possible if taxes are made bearable or removed, it would in fifty years be worth from $200 to $400 an acre. Yet it is impracticable to plant such land to trees now, as taxes would eat up the values.

There is, too, the matter of the milldam tax dodgers. They have grown rich on intangible property, and perhaps never a mill. But in Maryland and Pennsylvania, where instead of being taxed proportionately with real estate and real values they get off with four mills on the dollar, they not only pay, but the State gets vast revenues never before collectable.

Favored Interests Scared.

If Massachusetts had such power to make its taxable properties into three or four great classifications, the total taxes raised, it is asserted by the Merchants' Association, would be far larger, while the burden would be equitably distributed.

Now a few domestic corporations like the Boston Elevated, consolidated gas, the Real Estate Exchange and interests which find the preponderance on the shoulders of foreign corporations a good thing in that it compels trustees of big estates and other large investors to buy these securities about which there is no change in the law.

Professor Bullock said to-day that he is confident he has been able to show several of the senators who voted last week to kill the bill that they were misinformed on the other hand, the opponents of the proposed amendment say they will beat it more decisively than ever.

Such an amendment to get before the people must have been passed by two consecutive General Courts, a two-thirds House and majority Senate vote. Then the people vote on it.

Lately the people will favor this amendment if it is put before them and Governor Draper and the Senate must give us a chance to get the people to vote on it," said Mr. Brandeis.

WHOLE NATION IS PROSPEROUS—GOULD

NEW YORK, May 18.—George Gould declared to-day that prosperity was widespread and not merely confined to coast. He talked on the North German Lloyd pier in Hoboken after bidding goodbye to his wife and son and daughter, Jay and Marjorie, who sailed for Europe on board the steamship Cretic.

"There is no boom, any doubt," said Mr. Gould, "that business generally is going better. The improvement is slow, but is certain. The increase it is healthy."

The railroad situation is also good, and is showing steady improvement after the panic year.

The parting of Mr. and Mrs. Gould was most affectionate. She threw her arms around her husband's neck just before the vessel left her pier, and then kissed him on both cheeks, and then several for good measure.

"Goodly sweetheart," said Mrs. Gould with a smile.

Mrs. Gould said that she was leaving Europe for her home in this country on another poor health of Marjorie. She hopes that the trip abroad will greatly benefit her daughter. Jay Gould will be the only one going to play tennis abroad this Summer.

A fellow passenger of the Goulds on the Kron Prinzessin Cecilie, was Anna Held, known in private life as Mrs. Florenz Ziegfeld, Jr. She sailed with her eight-year-old daughter, Liane, and the Misses Mabel and Beatrice Von Brunner.

Alexander M'Gregor and Gift of Scots' Society

PHOTO BY T. ELMER CHICKERING

Alexander McGregor was signally honored by the Scots' Charitable Society during the celebration of the annual May festival of the organization. He was presented with a beautiful loving cup, and in the presence of 450 members spoken to by several speakers in connection with the mayoralty of Boston.

The annual May festival of the Boston Scots was held at the Hotel Tuileries before the exercises began an informal reception was held from 7 until 7:45. The carrying of the cup to a flower-bedecked table on the platform was the first of the ceremonies of the evening.

Then President Robert Plecie of the Scots' Charitable Society paid a glowing tribute to the work of Alexander McGregor during the year of organization in 1907 and 1908 and declared that he had shown those qualities for leadership that were needed in a greater work.

The singing of May songs and the playing of the McGregor Clan March by Pipers George A. Martin and William C. Purdie.

$33,000 HOTEL SALE IN REAL ESTATE DEALS

Many valuable properties in the city and suburbs changed ownership to-day.

The three-story brick building and 2,400 square feet of land at ONs. 108 and 112 Portland street, near Chardon street, have been sold by Samuel Bennett, Jr., et al., trustees to Joseph Bennett. The whole estate is assessed for $42,200, of which $40,800 is on the land.

In Roxbury the Hotel Dearborn, a four-story brick structure, occupying 3,583 square feet of land, at Nos. 235-239 Dudley street, corner of Quincy street, has been sold by Daniel J. Puffer et al, to Timothy J. Daly, title passing through Henry Cuner. The property is taxed on a total valuation of $35,000, of which $4,800 is on the land.

West End Deals.

In the West End the two big four-story brick houses and 3,406 square feet of land at Nos. 24-26 Myrtle street, corner of Revere street, a total of 117,500, have been sold by William R. Richards, Jr., et al, to Benjamin Slugsby, through Frederick Kern. The land is taxed for $11,900, of which $8,000 is on the land. Two and 3,581 square feet of land fronting 45 feet on Revere street, and 125 feet on Myrtle street, running through to Garrison place, have been sold by John A. Potter to Elizabeth Wells. The land is taxed at $7,400.

Bernard Dasti et ux have sold to Charles W. Stevens a four-story brick apartment house and store, star Huntington street, Roxbury, assessed for $11,000, of which $3,000 is on the land. Taxed for $2,900.

Roxbury Transactions.

Title to the double frame home and 4,023 square feet of land at Nos. 25-27 Dale street, corner of Ruggles, has passed from Mary Ann Hughes Sangster to Jacob Slotkowitz, the estate is taxed for $3,900, of which $2,000 is on the land.

Patrick Hughes has sold to George W. Pelton the frame home and 5,023 square feet of land at No. 24 Greenwood street, near Winthrop street, Highland street, Roxbury, has been conveyed by Mary Ann Hughes Sangster to Jacob Slotkowitz, assessed for $2,800, of which $4,200 is on the land.

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PLATT FAMILY ALARMED OVER EXPRESS SUIT

NEW YORK, May 18.—That the Platts, the former Senator and his sons, are alarmed by the attacks made on their administration of the United States Express Company is evidenced by the fact that some time ago they transferred the bulk of their holdings in the company to a trust, of which Thomas L. Dudley, a retired merchant, is the appointment of a receiver for the company and for dissolution of the corporation. Mr. Dudley demands an accounting of the Platt family and their associates, direction for their stewardship of the assets of the company, which amounts to about $17,000,000.

Many interesting facts are incorporated in Mr. Dudley's papers as well as in the complaint in which the defendants have entered answers largely in the form of denials. Among them is a statement that until very recently the entire Platt combination, consisting of six members of Senator Platt's family, owned only 2,380 out of the 100,000 shares of the company. These were distributed as follows:

Thomas C. Platt, president, salary $25,000, 190 shares; Frank H. Platt, vice-president, salary $15,000, 100 shares; Edward T. Platt, son, treasurer, salary $7,500, 100 shares; Orville Platt, grandson, 10 shares; Henry B. Platt, 100 shares.

After Mr. Dudley began his action 19,000 shares were held for the possession of Frank H. Platt by purchase. These had previously belonged to two other express companies and stood 10,000 in the name of Thomas C. Platt, president of the American Express Company, and 9,000 in the name of Levi C. Weir, as president of the Adams Express Company. Both these men were directors of the United States Express Company, but Mr. Platt has resigned since the first Dudley suit was begun.

Mr. Dudley's complaint was served on Frank H. Platt and the present officers February 18, 1909, and now Frank H. Platt stands as the owner of 29,000 of the shares. What was the immediate reason for the acquisition of such a block of 40 per cent stock or what was the price paid by either Frank H. Platt and the other companies is a matter concerning the keenly interested.

Mr. Dudley's lawyers hope to get Mr. Platt on the stand and have him tell about the deal in question. This ownership of 19,000 shares of the company by two rival corporations is one of the things Mr. Dudley would like to have explained.

Mr. Dudley charges that a stockholders' meeting has not been held for forty years and that the profits have been reduced by deals with rival companies. Mismanagement and fraudulent use of funds are charged. An unpaid balance of $4,000,000 and squandering of money are two of the accusations.

GERMAN RIFLES IN HEART OF LONDON

LONDON, May 18.—Sir John Barlow, a British member of the House of Commons, made the sensational suggestion to-day that the Germans have established a depot of arms containing 50,000 mauser rifles, in the centre of London, together with 7,500 rounds of ammunition, for the use of 60,000 of the German soldiers now employed in various capacities in England. Sir John has been notified by Home Secretary Hall-dane of his intention to question him concerning the statement.

DECLARE OLD HULK IS A "SPEAK EASY"

Charging that he sold liquor to soldiers in his old hulk on Long Island, back of Fort Strong, Sergeant Hurd of the harbor police to-day arrested Adolph Viehl, a harbor fisherman of No. 197 London street, East Boston, on the charge of unlawfully selling liquor. It is alleged in the complaint that Viehl was accustomed to sell the soldiers of the fort supplied with liquor.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

American Telephone operating companies, not including Bell Telephone Co., report for three months ending March 31, net earnings as increased $363,000, while interest charges were reduced $175,1008. This leaves an increase in the surplus for the quarter of $538,000, which is considered by investors as finely dividended during the first quarter of 1908. The steadily increasing strength of the company through conservative financing and increasing earning power is reflected by the rapid conversion of the new convertible bonds they stock.

That Cobalt mines are holding their silver for higher prices is shown by last week's shipments, which were 1,000,000 ounces from mines principal ones supplying the shipping were shipped 240 tons. The record in tons for last week is as follows: La Rose, 155; Crown Reserve, 54; Nipissing, 31; Hudson, 22½; McKinley, 32; City of Cobalt, 20; Buffalo, 32; Temiskaming, 30 and O'Brien, 32.

SILVER MARKET.

London, per 24 5-16d. off 1-16d. New York per 52¾c. off ⅝c. Mexican dollar (ex. unchanged.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS: FINANCIAL NEWS

WALL ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

WALL STREET, N. Y., May 18.—When masters are away cooks gossip about their masters, especially when there is nothing else to do. In the absence of financial leaders and in the circumstances of the extreme dullness brokers and traders talk disparagingly of everybody and everything.

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The mere suggestion that perhaps important operators know something which is causing them to sell has turned the whole market downward, but the fact that the street has nothing to sell, while the public, with its stocks, refuse to give them up. The professionals are, therefore, meditating about selling other people's stocks. They are not quite sure enough of their position to do that, although they are perfectly willing to talk about a big break in the market.

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Investigation among the little people develops very bearish sentiment. Among the big ones the most supreme confidence exists. The man who has from 500 to 1,000 shares are very much in doubt as to the future of the nation. Men like Harriman say they are glad to see the market pull down because it will enable them to accumulate more stocks at this low level. E. H. Harriman himself does not talk as bearishly as that would lead to be feeling. Judging from the actions of persons who are in close touch with him, he is going to do a big deals as far as possible and who have done so with singular success in the past.

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It would appear from the action of the Harriman crowd that Union Pacific is being put through a process of digestion by New York Central. Hundreds or thousands of shares of New York Central stock have been accumulated by Union Pacific people at 132. It is probable that the huge bond issue planned by Harriman is for the purpose of buying for New York Central stock. A deal of international importance is expected by Harriman when he goes to Europe. It is fear of this big deal that has caused the bearish enthusiasm of some professionals.

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Developments in business are exceptionally bright. The steel companies announced an advance in the price of wire. Railroad companies are full of orders, and the market for copper metal is strong. It is reported that consumers are buying freely for future needs. The condition in the manufacturing trades is ideal for the greatest boom ever known in the history of America.

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Standard Oil declared a dividend of $9 a share, to be paid June 15. According to precedent, the stock market will break from 10 to 20 points. Those who have been faithful to get their dividend money have been trying to get some $10 stock to buy, to have oil stocks added to the speculative list. Those who have been active on the Exchange house will bring out a company that is promoted for the purpose. Of course, and if this venture proves successful other unfavorable oil stocks will be brought to the New York market.

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In spite of a decree handed down in the United States Circuit Court announcing the end of the Third Avenue Railroad for debts of $46,387,193, unless the debts are paid within $15,500,000 by June 30, 1909, the stock sold above 20. That there is any market for the Third Avenue stock is evidence of the intention of insiders to take care of their holdings. They pay more for it than nothing under the circumstances known to the public.

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The United States Steel Corporation now has an annual capacity of close to 13,000,000 tons of steel ingots, or enough for the products for sale. This includes only such steel as is made by the steel trust for operation or are in operation at the present time. Of the 13,000,000 tons of steel capacity, when the Gary plants are fully completed, which will be in less than two years, there will be close to 15,000,000 tons.

The ratio of net earnings per ton of steel sold over the last seven years averaged $14.23 per ton. Applying this to the present earning capacity of the United States Steel Corporation, based on average earnings per ton over the last seven years, is $185,000,000 a year, which would enable the Steel Corporation to show a balance of net profits of $100,000,000 a year, or twenty per cent. available for dividends on the common stock. It is known that the Steel Corporation's earnings have been running very low, and that the public is not aware of the fact that normal production has not been reached by a long shot. At that point. Should steel conditions assume normal proportions the Steel Corporation is to earn at a level, earnings of $185,000,000 a year could be made.

The Steel Corporation on January 1 had a capacity of 8,000,000 tons of steel. All other finished products for sale, a figure which compares with 5,000,000 tons in 1907. This is an increase of 67.2 per cent, and includes, as aforesaid, only the units of the Steel Corporation plants in operation or ready for operation.

The Steel Corporation has more than doubled its blast furnace production since its organization on April 1, 1901, for example, was 7,440,000 tons, compared with 14,500,000 tons on January 1, 1909, an increase of 101.5 per cent. In the same period ingot production increased from 9,425,000 tons to 17,070,000 tons, or 80.1 per cent. Steel rail production shows the heavy increase of 1,100 per cent.

BIG STEEL TRUST RESTORES OLD WAGES

PITTSBURG, May 18.—The wages of 35,000 employes of independent iron and steel works in the Pittsburg district whose wages were cut 10 per cent. April 1 last have been restored to the old scale. On June 1 the cut in wages would be restored, East Pittsburg, on the Pennsylvania and the W. P. Snyder Company also confirmed the restoration of the old wage scale to the old-time basis June 1. The Jones & Laughlin Steel Co. with 10,000 men, will also place wages back on the old basis.

The strongest non-union plants among mills of the Pittsburg district was a note to-day. It appears that the plants of the Carnegie Steel Company are and have been running about full time since April 1, while the Jones & Laughlin interests, the Snyder plants and the Shoenberger and other large plants of the district have been working from 90 per cent. to their full capacity.

NEW HIGH RECORD IN PATTEN CORNER

CHICAGO, May 18.—May wheat reached $1.30 to-day—a new high record for the Patten deal. Excitement of the wildest description ruled the pit as frantic shorts bid the price up as they threw in their efforts to cover trades. May wheat, which closed at $1.28¾ Monday, opened to-day at $1.30 and stuck there while thousands of bushels were being bought and sold. The Patten-Bartlett house was the heaviest seller.

LOCAL STOCK MARKET DULL

STATE STREET—It was a dull forenoon in the local stock market, with but few orders in the hands of brokers. The only feature was a bear drive in North Butte stock, which broke the price from an opening at 63¾ to 61¾, with subsequent recovery to above 62. Operations in this specialty were purely professional and had no bearing on the general list.

Amalgamated yielded slightly to 82. Declaration of the regular $1 quarterly dividend by Quincy mining directors was what was expected. American Telephone yielded to 130½, while United Fruit displayed some activity up to 138.

Trading on the Curb was of fair volume and prices in the main were strong. First National was an exception, declining to 57 on fair sized trading. Heinzits was a strong spot, rallying to 6¾. La Rose showed a little more animation. Geyser sold up to 10½ cents and Southwestern Development fell from 1¼ to 1 cent on a fair sized transaction. Interest in oil continues to improve.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	127	127	127
Boston & Albany	147	147	147

LAND COMPANIES			
East Boston	11¾	11¾	11¾

TELEPHONES.			
American	130¼	130¼	130¼
New England	133	133	133

ELECTRIC COMPANIES.			
Mass. Elec. pref.	70	70	70

MISCELLANEOUS.			
American Pneumatic	9	9	9
Am. Pneum. pref.	20½	20	20
Mass. Gas	85	85	85
Mass. Gas pref.	90½	90½	90½
United Fruit	138	137½	138
United Shoe Mach.	57½	57¼	57¼

UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	82	82	82¼
Am. Woolen pref.	106	106	106
Am. Zinc	25¼	25¼	25¼
East Butte	15¾	15¾	15¾
Lake Copper	23¾	23¾	23¾
Miami Copper	25¾	25¾	25¾
Superior & Pittsburg	14¾	14¾	14¾
Swift & Co.	108	108	108
U. S. Coal & Oil	32	32	32
U. S. Smelting	47¾	47¾	47¾
U. S. Smelting pref.	48¾	48¾	48¾

MINING STOCKS.			
Arizona Com.	44	43¾	44
Atlantic	2¾	2¾	2¾
Butte Coalition	26	25¾	26
Calumet & Ariz.	103	102	104
Calumet & Hecla	640	640	640
Daly West	9¼	9¼	9¼
Franklin	15	15	15
Granby	103	103	103
Isle Royale	14¾	14¾	14¾
Nevada Con.	23¾	23¾	23¾
North Butte	62	61¾	62
North Lake	9¼	9	9
Superior	41	41	41
Utah Con.	41	41	41
Winona	6¼	6¼	6¼
Wyandotte	2¾	2¾	2¾

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of Prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

	High.	Low.	Last.
Bay State Gas	3¾	3¾	3¾
Cactus	5¾	5¾	5¾
Cactus Devel	3¾	3¾	3¾
Chief Con.	1	1	1
Chief Con.	1 11-16	1 11-16	1 11-16
Cobalt Central	41¼	41¼	41¼
Cumberland Ely	8¾	8¾	8¾
Davis-Daly	2 5-16	2 5-16	2 5-16
Davis-Daly Copper	2 11-16	2 11-16	2 11-16
Ely Con.	1¾	1¾	1¾
Geyser	12¾	10½	10½
Giroux Con.	13-16	13-16	13-16
Goldfield Daly	2	2	2
Inspiration	7¾	7¾	7¾
Inspiration	7	7	7
Kerr Lake	7 7-16	7 7-16	7 7-16
Majestic	1¾	1¾	1¾
Mexico Valley	3	3	3
Nevada Con.	23¾	23¾	23¾
Nevada Utah	2¾	2¾	2¾
Nipissing	10¼	10¼	10¼
Ohio Copper	6 5-16	6¼	6¼
Ohio Copper	6¼	6¼	6¼
Rex Consol. Devel.	3/32	3/32	3/32
Stone	5¾	5¾	5¾

GIRL ACCUSED AS FATHER'S SLAYER

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 18.—Louise Arbogast, the 22-year-old daughter of Louis Arbogast, was arrested early Thursday in his home, was in court here, formally charged with the murder of her parent. She is lodged in the Ramsey County Jail. Arbogast's body was found by neighbors in the sleeping room of his home, soaked with kerosene, to which a match had been applied.

STEEL COMMON STOCK FEATURE

By T. C. SHOTWELL.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Steel common was the strong feature of the standard railroad and industrial shares during the early trading in Wall Street to-day. Its strength was all the more admirable, owing to the fact that it rose one-quarter of a point, while Reading and Union Pacific declined about half a point each.

Amalgamated Copper was heavy and showed a loss of nearly a point. Smelters lost three-eighths of a point.

A feature of the early trading was the large number of small lots ranging from ten to fifty shares, which brokers said represented the selling by investors of stocks which they had picked up during the panic of 1907 and which now showed good profits. Announcement of the failure of a New York Stock Exchange house had no effect upon the market.

American were very irregular in London, with trading in them very dull. Canadian Pacific was a strong feature, owing to one of its good report of earnings.

On the New York curb market Nevada Consolidated, Ray Consolidated, Jay Central and Cumberland Ely were the strong features of the copper group. Goldfield Daisy continued heavy and declined three points, to the silver shares La Rose made 31 in previous high record of 7½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Comparison of to-day's opening and yesterday's closing prices:

RAILROADS.	Opening Prices To-day.	Closing Prices Yesterday.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	108⅝	108⅛	108⅝
Balt. & Ohio	114¾	114¾	114¾
Brooklyn Rap Tr.	79	79	79
Ches. & Ohio	79¾	79¾	79¾
Chic., M. & St. P.	150	149⅜	149⅞
Chic. & N. W.	183¾	183¼	183½
Del. & Hudson	166½	166½	166½
Denver & Rio G.	49	48⅝	49⅛
Erie	32⅞	32⅝	32⅞
Erie 1st pref.	50¾	50	50¼
Illinois Cent.	144	143¾	144
Illinois Central	146⅝	146⅜	146⅝
Int.-Metro.	13½	13½	13½
Int.-Met. pref.	44⅜	44¼	44⅜
K. C. Ft. S. & M.	44¾	44¾	44¾
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	42⅜	42⅜	42⅜
Missouri Pac.	75⅝	75⅜	75⅝
N. Y. C. & Hud.	130⅝	130⅜	130⅝
N. Y., O. & W.	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝
Norfolk & West.	91	90¾	91
Northern Pac.	145⅜	145¼	145⅜
Pennsylvania	134⅝	134⅝	134⅝
Reading	156⅜	156	156⅛
Rock Island	24¾	24¾	24¾
Rock Island pr.	70¾	70¾	70¾
Southern Pac.	121¾	121¾	121¾
Southern Ry.	30¼	29⅝	30
Texas & Pacific	27⅝	27⅜	27⅝
Third Ave.	29½	28	29½
Union Pacific	183⅛	182⅝	183⅛
Wabash pr.	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
Wabash pr. A.	40¾	40¾	40¾
Wisconsin Cen.	60	59½	60

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	83⅜	83⅜	83⅜
Am. Ag. Chem.	39	39	39
Am. Car. & Fdy.	54¾	54¾	54¾
Am. Cot. Oil	64¾	64¾	64¾
Am. Ice Secur.	30½	30½	30½
Am. Linseed	20	20	20
Amer. Sm. & R.	93	92⅝	93
Amer. Sm. & R. pf.	108	108	108
Amer. Woolen pf.	106	106	106
Anaconda	47¾	47⅝	47¾
Col. Fuel & Iron	40⅝	40⅞	40⅝
Gen. Elec. Co.	144¾	144¾	144¾
Distill. Secur.	39½	39	39½
Int. Paper	16	16	16
Rocking Coal	64¾	64¾	64¾
National Enam.	63¾	63¾	63¾
Penn. Gas	114¾	114¾	114¾
Press. Steel Car	114¾	114¾	114¾
Pullman	180½	180½	180½
Rep. Ir. & Steel	27⅝	26¾	27⅛
Sloss-Sheff.	56¾	56¾	57¼
U. S. Rubber	38¼	38¼	38¼
U. S. Rub. pf.	108¾	108¾	108¾
U. S. Steel pf.	118⅝	118⅝	118⅝
U. S. Steel com.	50¾	50¾	51
West. Un. Tel.	76	76	76
West. El. & Mfg.	84¾	84¾	84¾

RECEIVER TAKES TRACY & CO. BOOKS

NEW YORK, May 18.—Formal announcement was made on the floor of the Stock Exchange to-day of the suspension of Tracy & Co., the brokerage firm which failed yesterday, with liabilities of over a million.

The receiver, F. C. Benedict, to-day took charge of the books.

It is believed by those familiar with the affairs of the firm that the books will show heavy losses caused by the hiring of strikebreakers and special police at the time of the chauffeurs' strike a few months ago.

200 HOMELESS BY FIRE.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Two hundred persons were made homeless to-day by a fire that threatened to destroy the whole Keshy, N. J. Six big buildings were destroyed and a number were damaged.

A Liberal Education

The most interesting educational entertainment in the country *this* year is the big fair at Seattle. It's a world's fair in every sense but primarily designed to exploit the Pacific Northwest. Plan to visit the

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GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

Rose Festival, Portland, Oregon, June 7th to 12th, 1909

SEEK $2,000,000 BY CUBA'S LOTTERY

HAVANA, May 18.—The Secretary of Finance, Senor Villegas, gives out a statement that the forthcoming budget would reach a total of fully $20,000,000, leaving a deficit over the regular revenues of $2,000,000, which it is expected would be covered by the receipts from the national lottery. Congress yesterday passed a bill for the lottery bill, approving all of its articles.

HAS BABE IN ARMS, ACCUSES HUSBAND

William J. Merson, twenty-seven, of Ruggles street, Roxbury, was in the Municipal Court to-day before Judge Sullivan on the charge of non-support of his wife, Alice Merson and her two-year-old boy with her. After a committing hearing Judge Sullivan and Judge Sullivan, Merson was put on probation with the understanding that he pay $5 per week for the maintenance of his child.

KILLS WIFE; SURRENDERS.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., May 18.—After luring his wife into the woods near his home here and killing her, George Rex surrendered about for eighteen hour and then walked into Perth Amboy police headquarters and surrendered. He declared he was jealous.

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A year from ten acres of our West Indian land growing oranges, grapefruit, pineapples, winter vegetables, lemons, limes, bananas, berries, grapes, figs, tobacco, coffee, cocoa, cocoanuts, pecans, almonds, etc.

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"COP" WITH LADDER SAVES TRUANT CAT

Three months ago Dalzy Wade, aged 14, of No. 5 Davis street, South End, lost her favorite cat. The little girl was disconsolate, but kept up a constant search, which was remained by her saying her last evening ailing friendless and hungry on a window sill of the fourth story of the house at No. 1054 Washington street, corner of Davis. The house had been vacant for some time. Dalzy called Sergeant Hurley of Station 5 to her aid. The sergeant borrowed a ladder and with the help of two enthusiastic boys the cat was brought down from its aerial retreat as nearly 1,000 people looked on. Dalzy carried her pet home to bread and milk and comfort.

Deaths.

BARKEY—In Cohasset, May 10, Richard W. Barkey, aged 70 yrs.
Funeral services at his late residence Wednesday, a day at 2 o'clock.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—In Tunbridge, watch and fob; owner proves property and pays charges. 0 383, Boston American.

LOST—Between 5 and 6 p. m. Sat. eve., between Boston Bk. and Tremont st. cars, Boylston to W. 20 Winslow st.; receive reward.

LOST—Sunday night, a Scottish terrier; if returned to D. COBB 19 Otis st. Reward.

LADY'S Locket from bag, May 5, money in black purse; cash. 2 264, Boston American.

Information Wanted.

Strictly Private Information FROM OFFICIAL RECORDS of anyone whose name is on all matters for sale or private use. Write or call. Bureau of Information, Room 1, Tel. Main 2821. MASSACHUSETTS SECRET SERVICE BUREAU, 3 Court Square, Boston.

IF THE LADY who dropped her watch on Tremont street yesterday afternoon, will call she will receive the same by paying for this ad. 34 Wash. st., 3d floor. ROUND & CO.

MISS ALICE DUNPHY will learn something to her advantage by communicating with JACK. Address D 247, Boston American.

ADA—We don't see your name to the Globe yet. I will forget you at once. BERT.

MISSING PERSONS FOUND in all parts of the world. Leach Bur. 3716, Boston Mass.

Special Announcements.

Wheels waiting for sale or to Let. Picture book, 1 cent. 1 Milk st., Boston.

LADIES—Before and during confinement. MATRON BROWN, 648 Shawmut ave.

THE MODERN, 511 Tremont st.—For this week Mme's tops and heels on, 75c; ladies', 60c.

For Adoption.

FOR ADOPTION—Baby boy, 3 months old, and one at birth. Box 38, So. Milford.

Storage and Moving.

HUB Storage Co., 849 Wash. st., stores furniture, piano, safes, etc.; lowest rates; write, phone.

Wines and Liquors.

TREMONT WINE STORE, 427 Tremont st.—The greatest bargain in wines ever offered in Boston. 3 full quarts for $1; 6 for $2; 12 for $3; 100 proof, 3d. choice rum, 100 proof, 4 qt. bottle, 1 doz. $2; 1 doz. $3 (no bottle saved in shipment), all for $2; or you can make your own combination; the above is a great bargain; shipment please send all orders by mail. Send postal for list.

ABSOLUTELY STRAIGHT 3-grape Kentucky Whiskey, 4 full quarts, express paid, $3. THOMAS SNOW & SON, 98 N. Market st. Tel. 1819.

Male Help Wanted.

ARE YOU READY to earn $25 a week at the beaches as a moving picture operator? Now is the time to learn; we teach you thoroughly, also you quickly and thoroughly; salary $20 a week; easy terms; positions guaranteed; write for particulars. REID'S THEATRICAL BUREAU, Chicago, Ill.

A BOSTON firm wishes to communicate with a gentleman of fair address and character who can easily to light artistic work at home. Address F 09, Boston American.

MEN become meeting-picture operators for Summer theatres; $20 week. MOORE AMUSEMENT CO., 620 Tremont st.

WANTED—Experienced, steady men on fire escapes; steady service. Apply to Lawrence Hill, 83 Brookside st., Jamaica Plain.

WANTED—Experienced, white waiter; must have worked good school; steady work. FRANK, 18 Millet, Franklin, N. H.

WANTED—A telegraph lineman. 38 Everett st., Hyde Park.

YOUNG MAN WANTED to run cigar and summer drink stand; must be a hustler and have a little cash to invest. N 83, Boston American.

Male—Miscellaneous.

ANY INTELLIGENT person may earn good income composing correspondence for others; no canvassing; send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, 717, Lowell, Mass.

AUTOMOBILE road lessons, day or evening, at Adams' garage, 1 Dalton st., near Mass. ave. and Sheer st. or Beacon st., near Charles st.

ENGINEERS AND FIREMEN can learn at home in spare time through this school; why not you? Most engineers and firemen are in demand; can start, pay in installments; instruction individual; by mail; you can secure position; examination free; graduates; day or evening; complete practical electrical course; write for free catalogue. CAPITAL SCHOOL, 1 Huntington st., Boston.

ENGINEERS AND FIREMEN instructed for examination; we guarantee to secure reliable school student at the STATE STEAM ENGINEERING SCHOOL, 24 Tremont st., Boston. Evening classes. James Cupp, M. E., instructor.

WANTED—A boy, 17 years in the mail order business; began with $5, apposs can start a mail order business with $10 capital. Write quick. BEACOCK, 233, Lockport, N. Y.

BOOKKEEPER wanted; must be willing to learn; as BROWN'S SHOE SCHOOL, Tuition $15.00 during term. Call or write 17 Boylston, Room 1109.

WANTED—Able-bodied men between ages 19 and 35 for U. S. Marine Corps; desirable to sailors; men or have fine papers. Excellent opportunity to see the world; pay $16 per month first enlistment; second enlistment $18; third enlistment $20. Apply at recruiting office, 4 Court st., Boston.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks, postoffice clerks, carriers; salaries $600 to $1,200; examinations soon; specimen questions free. Rochester Normal School, Rochester, N. Y.

YOUNG MEN wanted to learn telegraphy; a few good positions and tuitable in my night school; best system; reasonable terms. Call or write for free catalogue. MORSE SCHOOL, 4 Boylston st., Boston.

WANTED—Agents to drive automobiles, taking orders for Rambler cars. EASTERN AUTO-MOBILE CO., 42 Stanhope st., Boston.

Male Situations Wanted.

A PRO. AMERICAN, 21 yrs. old, would like a chance to learn the electrician business; has had a little experience; wages no object. 0 384, Boston American.

ARE YOU looking for a young man to tidy up your grounds, garden, etc.? Will you please write me? Am willing to work. 0 381, Boston American.

ACCOUNTANT, auditor, stenographer, will keep several sets of books; 10 years' experience; references; expert, faithful, confidential work; highest references. 0 382, Boston American.

A COLORED JANITOR, with 3 years' city reference, wants steady employment. Address Janitor, Call or write A. HOGANS, 74 Wellington st., Boston.

BAKER wants a steady young man, 15 years old, to learn the bakery business; must be willing to work; wages to commence, $3 per week. Address BAKER, 76 Oak st., city.

BICYCLE repairs, sundries or janitor; position wanted by honest reliable colored man; good references. B. HINKLEY, 19 Hanover st., Cambridge, Mass.

CHAUFFEUR wants position with private family or concern outside of Boston; will go anywhere in Mass. has had two years' experience and has had six months' experience in repair shop. G 33, Boston American.

CHAUFFEUR desires position; thoroughly acquainted with Boston; will go anywhere in car for horse and private family; can do all kinds of driver, and general repair work. 0 385, Boston American.

CHAUFFEUR, single man, strictly temperate, with five years' experience in first-class restaurant and hotel, wishes position with private family or gentleman. P 344, Boston American.

COLORED MAN, experienced, wants position in private family. Can take care and wash or take care of cars or horses. 0 386, Boston American.

COLORED MAN, middle-aged, wants position in private family. Can take care and wash or take care of cars or horses. 0 386, Boston American.

CHAUFFEUR wants position; exp. in gasoline and steam cars; can furnish best of references. 118 West Canton st.

CARRIER and coachman; thoroughly experienced. 118 West Canton st.

DRAUGHTSMAN, technical graduate, 4 years' experience on power station work, P 377, Boston American.

Female Situations Wanted.

HOME LAUNDRY—First-class work done at short notice; experienced; rates for first delivered; work guaranteed; terms reasonable. MRS. SMITH, 2 Forbes st., Boston.

I WANT WORK washing or cleaning by day or week; reasonable; go any where. MRS. BETTY, 678 Albany st., Roxbury.

LAUNDRESS—First-class; all; wants washing to take home and deliver at short notice; open all day; terms reasonable; work guaranteed; short call promptly. 0 387, Boston American.

LAUNDRESS wishes to take family washing to take home and deliver; work guaranteed; terms reasonable. MRS. DAVIS, 1 Dexter st., Roxbury, Mass.

LAUNDRESS needs like position as shirt waist laundress; by the piece or day; call, or write 2 102 Harrison ave., third left.

LAUNDRY WANTED to take home; will go for and deliver; first-class; reasonable. MRS. BLACKWELL, 8 Bosworth st., near B. R. Sta.

NURSERY GOVERNESS—By young Canadian Prot., college graduate; willing to go to country or travel; best of references; salary $20. Address M. MCDONALD, 16 Bidwell st., Boston.

NEAT COLORED GIRL wants day work or general housework in family of two. Leave at 1 Lenox st.

NOVA SCOTIA MAID wishes second or light work. Tel. 1715-2 Bos. 56 Rodney st.

POSITION as nurse; all-round; nurse, housemaid or care of invalid or cook in small or private family; best of city references. MRS. F. Box 2, 647 Tremont st., Boston.

POSITION wanted as housekeeper by widower; 37 to take full charge of lodging house only. Address 0 388, Boston American, or call 1 Bowdoin Square, Room 1, Boston.

POSITION—Position as housekeeper in small family; best of references. 660 Franklin st., Cambridgeport. MRS. BAKER.

WANTED—By experienced woman, washing to take home. 0 389, Boston American.

WORKING HOUSEKEEPER, with or without baby, wishes a home; family of adults preferred. Address 0 390, Boston American.

WANTED—By respectable country woman situation to cook, laundress or care of bachelor apartments; best of references. 0 391, Boston American.

WOMAN wants day or hour work. Top floor, going to another city. 0 392, Boston American.

YOUNG LADY of musical talent would like a position as companion to a elderly lady; no objection to travel. Address E. F. C. 108 Pine st., So. Framingham, Mass. 1st Tel Framingham.

YOUNG LADY PIANIST would like a position with orchestra or in a store; will go anywhere. 0 Pine street, So. Weymouth; tel. 119-1 Weymouth.

YOUNG LADY, elegant and fine worker, wants position; office or writing to do at home. 0 BERNARD, 781 Shawmut ave., tel. 1543-3 Bos.

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A Little Fact Is Mighty—

It Will Choke a Big Theory to Death

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Some of the geese that oppose votes for women say "What is the use of giving women the vote? A majority of them would not vote at all. The best women would stay at home, a few would go to the pills. Those that actually vote would vote at the command of politicians. They would not be the best women, but the worst, etc., etc."

All nonsense, and facts prove it.

The facts come from New Zealand, where they have got beyond the speculating point and **WHERE WOMEN ARE ACTUALLY VOTING.**

Those that have brains enough to know that women should vote will want to cut out these figures and keep them by way of checking foolish theorising:

In 1893, one hundred and nine thousand women were enrolled in New Zealand. Ninety thousand and nine voted.

In 1896, one hundred and forty-two thousand women enrolled as voters. One hundred and eight thousand voted.

In 1899, one hundred and sixty-three thousand women enrolled as voters. One hundred and nineteen thousand voted.

In 1902, one hundred and eighty-five thousand women enrolled as voters, and one hundred and thirty-eight thousand voted.

In 1905, **TWO HUNDRED AND TWELVE THOUSAND WOMEN ENROLLED, AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND OF THEM CAST THEIR VOTE.**

How did they compare with the men? Very well, indeed, when you consider that the women are new in the important work of the ballot.

Out of all the men registered in five elections, seventy-five and eight-tenths per cent. cast their votes, and of the women, seventy-seven and four-tenths voted. In other words, the **sense of duty and the sense of privilege in connection with the ballot was much stronger among the women than among the men, although the women had so recently acquired the vote, a good rebuke to FOOLISH MEN TALKING IN SUCH A SUPERCILIOUS MANNER ABOUT WOMAN SUFFRAGE AND WOMAN VOTES.**

And not only have the women been voting in New Zealand, but they have been voting wisely, and the wisdom of letting them vote has been recognized by all of those that opposed it, except the criminal class that hate any honest vote—male or female.

Since women have voted, it is recognized universally THAT THE FAMILY IN NEW ZEALAND HAS RISEN IN IMPORTANCE AND DIGNITY.

Families vote together. The head of the house and his wife, or the head of the house and her husband, as the case may be, and their daughters old enough to vote, and their sons old enough to vote, and the men and women employed by them, go to the polls and vote together.

In the evenings before election they discuss public questions, a good thing for government, A VERY GOOD THING FOR THE FAMILY.

They all have interests in common; they stand together. When their side is victorious they all share in the triumph. It is far better to see a man sitting with his family, congratulating his wife and his daughters and his sons upon a victory for honest government, than to have him come home and talk to women that are supposed to know nothing about it, or, worse still, have him stay away to find congenial "patriots" discussing matters in the public barroom.

Men and women were created here together, they live together. Each makes the life of the other tolerable or happy. They all have the same interests. It is essential that they should work together. AND GIVING VOTES TO WOMEN WILL DO MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE TO BRING THIS ABOUT.

Every sane man will work to give women the vote. Every man fortunate enough to have a good mother will realize that other men's mothers and daughters are also good, and should vote.

Pity the man who opposes votes for women. There is something queer in his family.

Pity the woman especially who opposes votes for women. There is goose blood in her veins, or else she is still in that half-dead intellectual state of the poor black slaves, of whom some protested against freedom when it was offered.

Votes for women will come. Get in the procession, work for it, help bring about a condition that will benefit all of us.

Art for Everyday Use

The United States Should Lead the World in Its Development

The other day in Washington a notable assembly of architects, landscape gardeners, painters, sculptors and members of civic improvement associations inaugurated a national art federation.

Senator Newlands made a speech describing the rise and fall of ex-President Roosevelt's Council of Arts, showing that it had passed out of existence, not because such an institution is not needed, but solely because it does not lie within the prerogative of the President to create it.

The Senator himself has a bill in train for the establishment of a National Bureau of Fine Arts—under proper legislative sanction.

Senator Newlands struck a high prophetic note in saying that the public works in which the general government is engaged should bring the great artists of the country into working relations with the great engineers. He said that not only in the planning of public grounds and buildings, but in such matters as the improvement of rivers and harbors, the artists must in the future lend a hand—that there should, for example, be an artistic development of the waterfront of every town upon an improved river or harbor.

The truth is coming to light; it is the truth taught by John Ruskin, William Morris and a hundred other prophets, that genuine **ART** and sound **SCIENCE** are inseparable, and that no creation of human hands can reach a **HIGH DEGREE OF UTILITY UNTIL IT HAS BECOME ARTISTIC.**

To be sure, the superstition is still strong among us that art is something superfine and superfluous—a kind of fancy goods reserved for idlers and luxurious people. But this is an old-world **SUPERSTITION,** not indigenous to the soil of America.

The United States **SHOULD LEAD THE WHOLE WORLD** in the development of the **ARTS,** because, of all countries in the world, it has the keenest sense of utility, and contains the best engineers.

Do You Know This Woman?

By T. E. Powers

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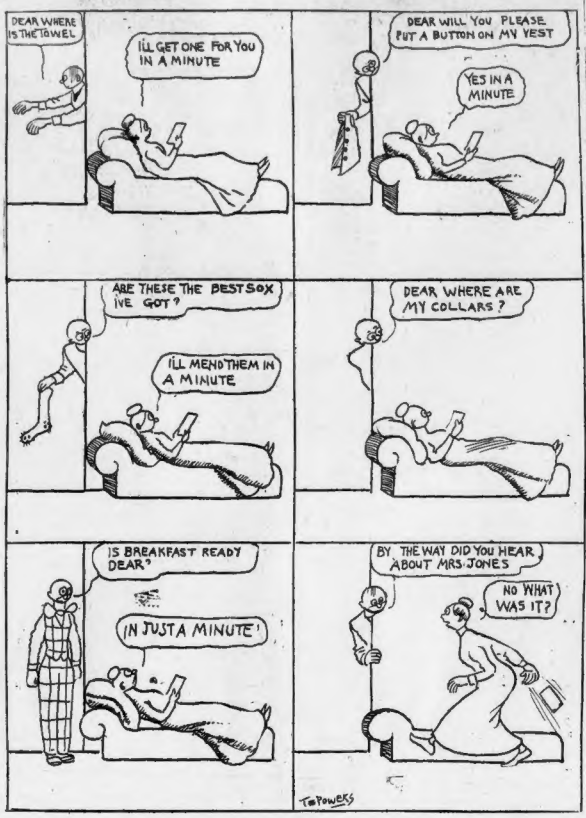
DEAR WHERE IS THE TOWEL
I'LL GET ONE FOR YOU IN A MINUTE
DEAR WILL YOU PLEASE PUT A BUTTON ON MY VEST
YES IN A MINUTE
ARE THESE THE BEST SOX I'VE GOT?
I'LL MEND THEM IN A MINUTE
DEAR WHERE ARE MY COLLARS?
IS BREAKFAST READY DEAR?
IN JUST A MINUTE!
BY THE WAY DID YOU HEAR ABOUT MRS JONES
NO WHAT WAS IT?
T. E. POWERS

Tightwaddo the Monk

He Gets a Free Ticket—No Wonder His Friend Couldn't Use It

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WANT TO GO TO THE BALL GAME TIGHTWADDO?
I GUESS NOT,— I NEVER DID CARE MUCH FOR BALL GAMES!
I'VE GOT A TICKET HERE I CAN'T USE.
OH WELL, IF IT DON'T COST ANYTHING THAT'S DIFFERENT!
I GUESS I'LL WALK TO THE GROUNDS, I MIGHT AS WELL HAVE THIS NICKEL AS THE STREETCAR COMPANY!
I GUESS I CAN AFFORD A BAG OF PEANUTS,— I GOT THE TICKET FOR NOTHING!
PEANUTS 5 A BAG
GIVE ME A SMALL GLASS FOR TWO CENTS,— I'M NOT VERY THIRSTY!
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BEAT IT,— THAT TICKET'S FOR YESTERDAY'S GAME!
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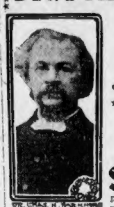
DR. PARKHURST'S ARTICLE

—ON—

"Knowing It All"

—AND ON—

"Depravity"



Written for the American

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SOCIETY is made up of many varieties of people, and among these varieties are some that are exceedingly inconvenient. They do not mean to be so; they do not even know that they are so.

They are like pepper which gets to the nasal nerves unpremeditatedly: like cogs on a wheel which engage with cogs on the companion wheel, but with just enough of misfit to grind and squeak at each revolution.

One of these varieties is composed of the people who "know it all;" and usually they are the ones who know very little of it—a circumstance which renders them all the more aggravating, for it is the little irritations in life that are more disconcerting than the big ones. We brace ourselves for the big ones, but the little ones we take when we are only at our average.

The more one knows the less conscious one is of his knowledge, and the less liable it is, therefore, to get in the way of other people.

The larger the acquisition, so much the larger the appreciation of what there is still to be acquired, and that keeps one modest.

Pope says: "Taste not or drink deep the Pierian Spring." Some one has written: "It is the shallow draught that inebriates, the deep draught that sobers one again."

Those with Little Knowledge Think They Know It All

A person who has not made much progress in learning is more likely to fall in love with what he has learned, just for the reason that there is so little of it, exactly as parents having but a single child will dote more on that one than other parents will on a whole brood; and that solitary offspring gets pushed to the fore on all suitable, and especially on all unsuitable, occasions.

It is an unfortunate thing to fall in love with one's own knowledge. It bars the way to further attainment. It closes the door of the mind and puts a padlock on it.

The man who is perfectly happy in his own house does not care to go outside, nor care to have anything that is outside cross his threshold and sit to his parlor.

To such a one a new idea is a disturbing element. It changes the centre of gravity of his entire intellectual world. That means bigotry.

Whether in physical science or in theology, the bigot is the man who gets his convictions and is so enamored of them that he would rather remain ignorant than upset the arrangement that he has already made of his mental furniture.

It is a sad day for a man, and time for him to be translated to some other world, when he is no longer disposed to revise or supplement his convictions, but placards the entrance to his mind with a "No Admittance."

The Prison Should Be a Moral Hospital

Depravity and disease are in some respects alike. One is sickness of the soul; the other, sickness of the body. The resemblance between them suggests that within certain limits similar treatment should be accorded to both.

For sick people we have the hospitals; for depraved people we have prisons. A prison ought to be regarded as a moral hospital.

If patients are turned out of the ordinary hospital sicker than when they entered, we consider, that as a hospital, it is a failure.

We expect that for some it will prove a home for incurables, and that they will remain there till they die, but those who go out will be well advanced in the process of convalescence.

Not Popular to Jail Men for Revenge

The idea of jailing a man for the purpose of getting back at him for his iniquities in a view that was held more tenaciously once than it is at present.

The entire question of punishment is being reviewed, and opinions upon it revised.

The notion is gaining ground that it means something besides pounding a man because he has pounded some one else, robbing him of ten years of his life because he has stolen somebody's dollars, or murdering him on the gallows because he has himself been a murderer.

This is what might be called the "tit for tat" theory of penology and appears not to be quite equal to the service it has been called upon to render.

It is, however, a conception that survives in tradition and in a good deal of our theology, especially such as has its grounds in the Old Testament.

If I am in prison ten years for a "ten years'" offense, the wrong done has not ceased to be wrong because I have been that length of time shut up.

A whipping may or may not help to make a bad boy good, but certainly it does not make good the bad deed he has done. Nothing is made better unless the boy is made better.

Poor Law That Requires Punishment to Enforce it

And if it is claimed that punishment requires to be inflicted in order to support the law, it is pertinent to inquire whether law that has so little dignity of its own that it needs to be supported is worth the supporting.

The particular point, then, upon which it seems that attention should be centred has to do with the criminal himself and his moral amelioration. And that is the point toward which, happily, the regards of penologists are verging; and it is not only the only true Christian view, but also the only sound economic view.

This means, as already said, that a prison should be availed of primarily as an ethical infirmary, in which patients suffering from harmful disease shall be detained until it has been decided by competent authority that they are well advanced in the process of convalescence, and then released as from any other hospital.

This would shorten the term of confinement of some prisoners and very much lengthen that of others.

African Fables

By C. B. Quincy

A GRAY Parrot had learned many words of the white man's language, and was very proud of his accomplishment.

Berating another Parrot one day, he cried, "Why, I can talk almost as much as this great white hunter, and tell as good a story."

"Yes," responded a quiet Parrot, "but he gets a dollar a word for his stories."

Whereupon the gray Parrot shut up.

Which reiterates the lesson that money talks.

A Horse was condemning a Zebra for his lack of intelligence.

"You may have pretty stripes," said the Horse, "but you have no brains. Look at me; even among the humans 'horse sense' is a byword."

"You are mistaken," replied the Zebra. "I have sense enough not to let any one know of it; otherwise I should be hauling a truck.

Which shows us that there are different kinds of brains.

"I am more like a man than any other animal is," said a large Baboon.

Whereupon a Lion, whose skin had been shot by a hunter, killed the Baboon.

Indicating that we should be careful in selecting our models.

A Swallow was twitting a Stork. "I can fly faster than you," said the Swallow.

"Yes," replied the Stork, "but I cause more fuss."

Which shows us that everybody has his forte.

Fancy!

Bathing dresses, we are told, are now being made from blotting paper. The advantage of such costumes consists, we understand, in the fact that as soon as you get out of your depth, the blotting paper sucks up the water.

Photo by staff artist disguised as scout.

"The natives are a worthless, cowardly lot. All they do on the hunts is kick the lions out of the grass and drive them before the men with the guns. Every time the crack of Bwano Tumbo's rifle rings out on the still air, a lion bites whatever is handiest.

Bwano Tumbo holds the world's record for the number of lions killed, having killed more in three days than any other hunter in a lifetime. Each lion is killed by a shot in the ear, so that the skin is not spoiled for the Smithsonian. Science is advancing by leaps and bounds.

The bag to date is:

Lions, 10.
Purple rhinoceros, 0.
Pink rhinoceros, 0.
Cans tomatoes, 43.
Cans sardines, 24.

The Evening Smile

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If Not Planting Seeds, Plant Money

Forecast—June Weather Next Month

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NOTES BY THE WAY

Poor Abdul Hamid! If he gets home late for dinner he has to think up eleven separate excuses.

According to a Suffragette leader, men who are not lobsters are shrimps. Only mermaids could mix with such a collection.

It is much easier to win a Marathon race than to pick the winner of one.

In reply to numerous correspondents, the "g" in "gnu," "g" in "gnuckle," is silent, except when it is by a bullet.

CONSTANT READER—We cannot tell you what makes the West wild, unless it is the proximity of the East.

Weather Forecast—Daylight to-day and to-morrow. Increasing darkness at 7:30 p. m.

Listening to a 12,000-word hypothetical question and answering yes or no is like reading "Hamlet" forwardly and pronouncing Hamlet a cagy person or just plain bugs.

News of the Great Hunt

Nairobi—Bwano Tumbo, the Big Fat Colef, has created the greatest wonder among the natives. He saved the lives of 275 Europeans yesterday, by not shooting at random.

SNAPSHOT OF BWANO TUMBO CHARGING

OUR LETTER BOX

To the Editor—It seems to me that the hospitable East African coast must have spread a lot of bait around the country and that all the lions are "doing" ZAMBESI.

[Not at all. The animals are very naturally suffering from stage fright.—Ed.]

To the Editor—If the pitcher hits the batsman on the knuckles with the ball, does a home run count more than two?

FAN.

[We cannot answer impossible queries in these columns. Write to a sporting paper.—Ed.]

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